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**A Chroni-
cle of yeres , from the
begynnyng of the worlde
wherin ye shall fynde the names
of all the kynges of Englande of the
Mayors and Sheriffes of the cytee of
London, and bryef of manye notable
actes , done , in and sens the reigne of
kyng: Henry the. iiii. newly augmen-
ted and corrected: whereinto is added
the lengthe , breadth, and compasse of
Englande , wyth the numbre of Pa-
ryshe Churchestownes Byshoprikes
and Shires in the same. besyde cytes,
and Castels . And also the wayes lea-
dyng to the mooste notable places,
and distante betwixt the same
Newly Imprinted wyth
dyuers addicions.**



To knowe certain when
the fower Termes of the yeaere
concernyng the lawe be-
ginne and ende.

The Terme next after the As-
tinuee of our lordes, begynneth
the .xxiii. day of January, and
endeth y. xii. day of February.

Easter Terme begynneth the .xviii.
daie after Easter, rekenyng Easter
daie for one, and endeth the fowerth
daie after the Ascension of our lordes.

Trinitee Terme beginneth the mo-
rowe after Corpus Christi daie, and
endeth the wednesday fortnight after

Mighelmas Terme beginneth the
ninth daie of October, and endeth the
xxviii. daie of Nouembre.

The Eschequer is open alway. viii.
daies before the begynnyng of euery
Terme.

A brieſe reherſall of the
peres paſt, from the begynnynge
of the worlde, vnto the yere of our
lorde. M. D. lviij. after the reck-
nyng of Eusebius, and
other Chronickers.

From the creation of the worlde vnto
Noes flude, is. ii. M. cc. xlii.

From Noes flud vnto Abrahams
birth, is. ix. L. xli.

From the birthe of Abraham vnto
Dauid, is. ix. L. xlii.

From the beginnyng of the reygne
of Dauid, to the captiuitie, iiii. lxxxv.

From the captiuitie of Babilō vnto
Chriſt, is. cccc. m. lxxxix.

From the birth of Chriſt, vnto this
preſent yere. M. D. lviij.

A. ii.

Ascring

Ascanius the. vii. kynge
of Italy, and kynge of Alhanorum.
was father to Silvius theight kynge
of Italy, whiche Silvius was
father of Brut, the fyrste
kynge of Englande.



Brute came into thys
land that fyrst was cal
led Albion, and arryued
at Totnes in Devon-
shire, after the makynge
of the worlde. iiii. M.
77. yere, in the xviii. yere of Hely the
prieeste in Israell. And after a certaine
space he wyth hys men, went and sear
ched dyuers places, where that they
myght fynde a good & couenable place
that they mighte buylde a citee on, for
hym and his folke, and so at the laste
came to the ryuer of Thamys, where
he begaane to buylde a faire citee, and
called it newe Troie, that now is cal
led London, in reneb:auce of greate
Troye, from whence all their lynage
was come, and named thys land Bry-
tain

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sayn after hys owne name, and so it continued tyll aboute the yere of oure Lozde God. iiii. L. i. that Engist came and called it Engistlande, and when Wyte had reyned twentie yeres, he dyed in Trope.

From the comynge of Wyte tyll the incarnation of Chyyst was .1122. yere

Jesu Chyriste was conceived by the holy Ghost in the virgine Mary, the xxv. daye of Marche, and borne on a Sundaye the. xxv. daye of December, in the same yere after the makynge of the worlde. v. M. L. xcix.

Jesu Chyriste suffered Passion on a Fridaie. the. xxv. daye of Marche, after his incarnation. xxxiii. yere.

From the incarnation of Jesu Chyriste to Wylliam conquerour. is. 98. yere whiche Wylliam reigned. xxi. yere, and lieth at Cana in Normandy.

Neste hym reigned Wylliam Rufus almost. 13. yere, and is buryed at west.

Henry the first reigned. xxxv. yere.
A. iii. thre

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iii. monethes, and buried at Redyng.

Stephen reigned eightene yere. xi. monethes, and lyeth at Feuerlame in Kent.

Henry the seconde reigned. xxxiii. yere. ix. monethes, and lieth at Founte euecarde.

Richard the fyrst reigned ix. yere, xi. monethes, and his harte is buried at Roan.

Kyng John reigned. xvii. yere. vii. monethes, & was popsoned by a false traiterous monke, & lieth at worcester

Henry the thirde reigned. lvi. yeres and lyeth at Westminster.

Edward the firste that wan Scotlande, reigned. xxviii. yere. viii. monethes, and lyeth at Westminster.

Edward the. ii. reigned. xix. yere. vii. monethes, and is buried at Glocester.

Edward the. iii. inheritour of Fraunce bare first quarterly thre flower delice in his armes, and after wan Calais also, and reigned fiftie yeres. v. monethes

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nethe, and lieth at W

Richard the seconde was reigned twenty and two yere, fower and eght, is buried at Langly.

Henry the.iii.

Henry the fowerth sonne to John of Gaunt, late Duke of Lancaster, and thyrde sonne of Edward the thyrde, take possession of this realme of England the last daie of September, in the yere of our lorde .M.ccc. nyntie and nyne.

Anno domini .M. ccc. xcix. Anno i. henrici quarti.

Thomas Knolles Grocer Mayor.

Willia Hide, John Waldern Justices
And this yere died kyng Richard .v. is

In this yere also diuers dukes and erles of England and other, were accorded to make a mumpng on twelfth daie at night, traitrouly to kil y king

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then

neither. A bryte
then Stephen Wyndesore, whiche be-
yng sether, thereof departed sodain-
ly, and to London, and made pur-
sue after the sayed conspiratoures,
whiche apprehended and taken, were
after by the lawe put to death.

In this yere was enacted by auctor-
itie of Parliamente, that no lord, nor
other men, myght geue any gownes or
liveries to any of their tenauntes, or
other persons only, but to their house
holde and mentall servauntes.

In this yere also was enacted, that
all Wipiers and other fishers, frome
Rye, Wyndesore, and other countes
of the West Wyche, shoulde sell their fische
themselves, in Cornhill, Chepe and
other streetes of London, to all menne
that woulde buye of them. Fishmong-
gers, and all other that woulde buye
the sayed fische to make sale again of it
agayne onely except.

Anno Domini. MD. cccc. anno secun-
do Henrici quarti.

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Thon Fraunces Goldsmithes maior.

Thon Wake. William Ebot Sheriffes

In this yere a xioure and eighte
friers were hanged at Tibone for
treason.

Anno domini. M. cccc. i. anno tertio
Henrici quarti.

Thon Cadworth maior.

Wylliam fremyngham, Wylliam
Menour Sheriffes.

Anno domini. m. cccc. ii. anno quarta
to Henrici quarti.

Thon Walcot maior. Robert Chiche
ly, Richard Marlowe Sheriffes.

This yere was the battaile of the
welburie.

Anno domini. M. cccc. iii. anno. v.
Henrici quarti.

Wylliam Eskam maior.

Thomas Faulkener. Thomas Hole,
Sheriffes.

Anno domini. M. cccc. iiii. anno. vi.
Henrici quarti.

Thon Hynde Diaper maior.

W.

Wylliam

A bryfe

Willia Louth, Steven Spalma Sheri.
Thiavere Scrope Archebithop of
Yorke, was beheaded for treason.

Anno domini. M. cccc. v. anno vii.
henrici quarti.

John Woodcokke maire, Henry Bar
tyn, Wyllyam Crouner Sheriffes.

Anno domini. M. cccc. vi. anno. viii
henrici quarti.

Richard Whittingto Mercer maior
Nicholas Watton, Geffrey Brooke
Sheriffes.

Anno domini. M. cccc. vii. anno. ix.
henrici quarti.

Willya Stanton Grocer maior. Hen
ry halton, Henry Bomfret Sheriffes.

Anno domini. M. cccc. xii. anno. vi.
henrici quarti.

Dzwe Barentine Goldmyth maior
Thomas Duke, Wyllyam Nopton.
Sheriffes.

Anno domini. M. cccc. ix. anno. xi.
henrici quarti.

Richard Barlow Ironmonger maior.
John

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John Lawe, Wyllyam Chycheley
Meriffes.

Anno domini. M. cccc. x. anno. xii.
Henrici quarti

Thomas Knollas Grocer Mayor.

John Wene, Thomas Wike, Meriffes

This yere was a bylle put into the
Parliament, against the spiritualtee,
for wastynge of the temporaltees.

Anno domini. M. cccc. xi. anno. xiii.
Henrici quarti.

Robert Chicheley, Grocer maior

John Ramewell, Walter Cotton
Meriffes.

Anno domini. M. cccc. xii. anno. xiiii
Henrici quarti.

Wyllyam Walderne Mercer maior.

Raufe Leupngham, Wyllyam Deuere
noke Meriffes,

In this yere kyng Henry the. 4. died
the. xx. day of Marche, in the yere of
our lord. M. cccc. xii, when he hadde
reigned, 13. yere, v. monethes, and. xxi
daies, and is buried at Cantorbury.
Henry

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Henry the. v



Henry the fifth began
his reigne the. xxi. days
of Marche, in the yere
of oure lord next above
mencioned, & was crow-
ned at Westminster the
ninth daye of Aprill folowynge, in the
yere of our Lord God, a thousande
fower hundred and thritene.

Anno domini. M. cccc. xiii. anno. i.
Henrici quinti.

William Walderne Marcer maior.
Raufe Leupngham. William Beues-
nocke Sheriffes.

This yere dyd Thomas Arundell
archebishop of Cantorburie, with the
clergye condemne saye Ihan Oldcastle
Lord Cobham, for heresye, which yet
escaped more then fower yere after.

This yere in January was saye Ro-
ger Aston, maister Ihon Wyounne, saye
Ihon Beuerre, a learned preacher and
xxvi. more of whom the moste parte
were

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wer gentlemen, wer condēned for here
spe and treason, & so wer they hanged,
and then burned in saint Giles fiede
Also in the same yere was one Thon
Waldō Skinner, and Richard Tur-
myne Baker, hanged and bynte in
Smithfiede.

Anno Domini. M. cccc. xiii. anno. 11
Henry. v.

William Crouner Draper maior.
Thon Sutton, Thon Allen Sheriffes.

Anno Domini. M. cccc. xv. anno. 12.
Henry. v.

Thomas Faulkener Mercer maior.
Thō Michel, Thomas Allen Sheriffes.
This yere was the battail of Agyn-
courte.

Anno Domini. M. cccc. xvi. anno. 13
Henry. v.,

Nicholas Wanton Draper maior.
William Lambpydge, Blain Euerad
Sheriffes.

Anno domi. m cccc. xvii. anno quito
Henry. v.

Henry

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Henry Berton & Kinner maiors.

Robert Whittington, John Louen-
tre & eriffes.

Anno domini. M. cccc. xviii, anno, vi
Henrici quinti

Richard Marlowe Fremonger maiors

Henry Bede, John Gedney sheriffes.

In this yeaere Sir John Oldcastle
knight, lord Cobham, was the second
tyme condemn'd, and at the day ap-
pointed, he was brought out of the to-
wer with his armes bounde behynde
hym, and so was drawen into saynte
Giles felde, where he was hanged by
the middell in chaynes, & after burnt.

Anno domini, M. cccc. xix. anno, vii.
Henrici quinti,

Willyam Seuenoke Grocer maiors.

John Paines, Raffe Berton, John
Wyllan sheriffes.

Anno domini, M. cccc. xx. anno, viii.
henrici quinti.

Richard Whittingham Mercer maiors.

Robert Whittingham, John Butler
sheriffes.

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Sheriffes.

Anno Domini. M. cccc. xxi. anno, re.
henrici quinti.

William Lambidge, Grocer maior.
Tho Butler, Willia Weston Sheriffes,

In this yere was bozne kyng Henry
the syxt.

Anno Domini. M. cccc. xxii. anno, re
Henrici. v.

Robert Thichelpe, Grocer maior. Ric
hard Fosteln, Willia Weston Sheriffes

In this yere kyng Henry the fifteth
died the, xxi. daie of August, in the
yere of our Lorde nexte aboue men-
tioned, when he had reigned nyne yea-
res, five monethes and. xxiii. dayes,
and lieth buried at Westminster.

Henry the. vi.



Henry the syxte beganne
his reigne the first daye
of September, in the
yere of our Lorde next
aboue mentioned, and
was crowned at West-
minster

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Westminster, in the eyght yere of hys
reygne, all whiche tyme before, for in-
sufficiencye of age, he was admitted
to the rule of hys vncles, the Dukes
of Bedforde and Glocester, he was of
the age of eyght monethes, and odde
dayes and not aboue.

Anno domini. M. cccc. xlii. Anno. i.
Henrici. vi.

William Walderne maior.

William Estfeld, Robert Catarcale
Sheriffes.

Anno domini. M. cccc. xliii. Anno.
secundo Henrici. vi.

William Crouner Draper maior.

Nicholas James, Thomas Mad-
foze Sheriffes.

In this yere the Duke of Bedford
Regente of Fraunce, made warre be-
pau the Dolphin of Fraunce, and by
the Englyshemen fell the victorie at
the bataill of Vernoye.

Anno domini. M. cccc. xlv. Anno. iii.
Henrici. vi.

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John Mychel mayre. Symon Deme
John Withwater Meryffes,
Anno do. m, cccc, xxvii, anno quarto,
John Couentre mercer mayre,
William Mildred, John Bokelye
Cyresses.

Anno do. m, cccc, xxviii, anno quinto
henrici sexti,

John Raynewell fyshmonger mayre
Robert Arnold John higha Meryffes.
An. do. m, cccc, xxviii, an. vi, henrici, vi
John Godney draper mayre,

Robert Diley, henry Frowik chiriffe
An, do. m, cccc, xxix an, vii, henry. vi,
henry Berton skynner mayre, Tho-
mas Dufhous, Raufe holland chiriffe
An, do. m, cccc, xxx, an, viii. henry vi,

William Esfeld mercer mayre. Wil-
liam Ruffe, Raufe hollande Meryffes

In this yere kyng Henry the sixt
was crowned at Westmynstre,

Anno dcm, m, cccc, xxxi, anno nono
no henrici sexti.

Nicolas Wanton mayre. Walter
B. i. Charely

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Charter, Robert Large Shyppes.

Anno dñi. M. cccc. xxxii. an, Decimo
henrici sexti

John Welles Grocer maior. John
Aldrylee. Stephan Browne Shyppes.

In this. x. yere kyng Henry the syete
was crowned at Paris which is the
chefe cytie in all Fraunce.

Anno dñi. M. cccc. xxxiii. anno. xi.
henrici sexti.

John Barnels fshmonger Maier.

John Olney, John Daddeley Sheryffes

Anno dñi. M. cccc. xxxiii, anno. xii.
henrici sexti.

John Bokely Draper mayre. Tho-
mas Chalton, John L yng Sheryffes.

An. do. m. cccc. 35. an. xiii. henrici. vi,
Robert Ocler Grocer. mayre. Tho-
mas Barnwell, Symon Wyre Sheryffes

This yere was a great frost that en-
dured from the feast of S. Katherine
until the feast of S. Valentin, so that
neither Shyp myght sayle, nor boate be
rowed on the ryuer of Thames, and
thera

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therfore all the brutage was caried to
London by land in cartes.

Anno dñi. M. cccc. xxxvi. anno. xiiii.
henrici sexti.

Henry Frowike mercer maire. Tho-
mas Catworth, Robert Laptō Shiri:

Anno dñi. M. cccc. xxxvii. anno. xv.
henrici sexti.

John Michel maire. Thomas wor-
sted, William Gregory Shyppes.

Anno dñi. M. cccc. xxxviii. anno. xvi.
henrici sexti.

Williā Estfeld mercer mayre. Wyl-
liā Chapman Williā hale Shiffes,

Anno domi. M. cccc. xxxix. anno. xvii.
henrici sexti.

Stephan Browne Grocer mayre,
Hugh Duke, Nicholas Yeo Shiffes,

Anno domini, M. cccc. xl. anno. xviii.
henrici sexti.

Robert Large mercer mayre, Robert
Marshall, Whylpp Malpas Shiffes,

Anno domini, M. cccc. xli. anno. xix.
henrici sexti.

A bryfe

**John Paddissey goldsmith the mayre.
John Dutton, William Wethingale
Merittes**

**Anno do. M. cccc. xlii. anno. xx. hen
rici sexti.**

**Robert Clopton mayre. Wylliam
Lombard Richard Riche Shyppes,**

**¶ This yere the steple of Paules
churche in London was sette on fyre
by lpyghtnyng.**

**Anno domini. M. cccc. xliii. anno. xxi.
henrici sexti**

John Atherly plemonger mayre

**Thomas Beaumont, Wycharde Roys
dam Shyppes**

**Anno domi M. cccc. xliiii. anno. xxi.
henrici sexti.**

**Thomas Lotworth grocer mayre.
Nicolas wyfold, John Roymanne
Merittes.**

**An do. M. cccc. xlv. an. xxiii. henry. vi.
henry frowike mercer maire. Des
phan Foster, hugh Quiche Shyppes**

This yere lady Margaret the kin

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ges daughter of Cecyll was maryed
to the kynge, and after crowned at
Westmynster.

Anno do. M. cccc. xlii, anno . xlii.
henryi sexti.

John Diney mercer maye. John he-
rot, Godfrey Boleyn sheriffes.

Anno domi. M. cccc. xliii. anno . xxv.
henrici sexti.

John Sidnes draper maye. William
Abraham, Thomas Scot shryffes.

This yere dyed the good Duke of
Gloucester, and is buried at saincte
Albans.

Anno do. M. cccc. xlviii, anno . xvi.
henrici sexti.

Stephen Browne grocer maye,
William Cantlowe. Wyllyam Ma-
rowe shryffes.

Anno domi. M. cccc. xlix, anno . xvii.
henrici sexti.

Thomas Chalton maye, Thomas
Lanynges, William haulen shryffes

In this yere the commons of hene

B. iii arose

A bryefe

arose, & made them a captayne named
Jacke Lade, whiche did much harme

Anno dñi. M. cccc. l. anno. xxviii.

henrici sexti.

Nicolas Minold Grocer mayre.

Wylliam Dere, John Middelto shi.

Anno domini, M. cccc. li. anno. xxix.

henrici sexti.

Wylliam Gregory skynner mayre.

Mathew Phylip, Christopher warton
shyppes.

Anno domini, M. cccc. lii. anno xxx.

henrici sexti

Geffrey feldyng Mayre.

Richard Lee, Richard Allay, sherriffes

This yere was a metyng of a great
hoost vpon Brent hether in Kent be-
twene the kyng & the Duke of Yorke.

An. dñi. m. cccc. liii. an. xxxi. hērici, vi

John Norman Draper mayre.

John waldē, Thomas Loke shiriffes

Anno dñi, M. cccc. liiii. anno. xxxii.

henrici sexti.

Stephan Foster mayre. Wylliam
Taylour

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Maylour, John Fyeld Wyppre.

¶ This yere was the fyra battaile at
Saint Albones.

Anno domini, M. cccc. lv. anno, xxxiii,
henrici sexti.

Willia Marlow grocer mayre, John
porge, Thomas Eldegrane thiriffes.

Anno domini, m. cccc. lvi. anno. xxxiiii,
henrici sexti.

Thomas Chanvages Mayre, John
Steward, Raufe Werney thiriffes.

Anno domini, m. cccc. lvii. anno. xxxv.
henrici sexti.

Godfrey Woleine mercer maire. Wil
liam Edward, Thomas Raynere thi.

¶ This yere the moste excellēt science
of pryntyng fyyste began in Almayne
at the cytie of Hagunce.

Anno domini, m. cccc. lviii. anno. xxxvi.
henrici sexti.

Thomas Scot draper mayre. Raufe
Jostelyne, Wycharde Redham thiriff.

¶ This yere was the batayle of Bos
te heathe.

A bryefe

Anno domi. M. cccc. lix. anno, xxxviii.
henrici sexti.

William hulin fythemonger mayre.
Iohn Stocket, Ihon Blumer thyrff.

This yere was the batayle at
Northampton.

Anno dom. m. cccc. lx. anno xxxviii,
henrici sexti.

Richard Lee grocer maire, Ihon La-
bert, Richard Flemmyng thyrffes.

This yere was the Duke of Yorke
made heyre apparant.

This yere was the bataile at wake
felde.

This yere was the seconde bataile
at saint Albons.

In thys yere the fourthe daye of
March in the yere of our lorde a thou
sande foure hundredeth. lx, & in the xxix,
yere of the reygne of kynge henry the
vi. king Edward the fourth, toke first
possession in this realme, & the xxviii.
daye of June in the yere of our Lord
M. cccc. lxi the same kynge Edward
was

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was crowned at westmyndre.

And the same yere that is to say the
ix. day of July the next folowynge was
ther another battail at Northampton.

Edward the fourth.



Anno Domini M. cccc. lxi
anno Edwardi quarti
Hugh Wyche mayre.
George Ireland, John
Locke shryffes.

In this yere upon
Palme sondaye was the batayle cal-
led Rothe spelde.

Anno dom. M. cccc. lxii, anno secundo
Edwardi quarti.

Thomas Cooke mayre. Bartholme
James wylliam Hampton shryffes.
This yere was the batayle at Exm.

Anno do. M. cccc. lxiii. anno .iii. Ed-
wardi quarti.

Mathewe Philip golde Smyth mayre.
Thomas Muschamp. Robarte Bal-
sed shryffes.

Anno. do. M. cccc. lxiiii. anno quarto.

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Edwardi quarti.

Raule Jostelyn Draper mayre.

John Cate, John Spence Shippes,
This yere was kyng Edward
marped.

Anno domini M. cccc. lxx. anno. v.

Edwardi quarti.

Raule Ferny Mercet mayre. Henry
Wayner, William Constantine Wtr.

Anno dom. M. cccc. lxxi. anno sexty

Edwardi quarti.

John yonge grocer knyght mayre.

John Wyce, John Browne, John
Stotten Shippes.

Anno dom. M. cccc. lxxii. anno. vii.

Edwardi quarti

Thomas Walegraue mayre.

Humfrey herforde, Thomas Stal-
broke Shippes.

Anno dom. M. cccc. lxxiii. anno. viii.

Edwardi quarti.

William Taylour grocer mayre.

Wimō Smith, Willia herlot Shippes

Anno dom. M. cccc. lxxix. anno. ix. Ed-

wardi

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wardi quarti.

Rycharde Lee grocer mayre, Roberte
draper, Rycharde Gardiner thirifes.

¶ This yere was the Lord Ryuers
beheaded,

¶ This yere was the Lord Welles
beheaded,

¶ This yere was the battayle of Ba-
gerote besyde Banbery.

¶ In this yere the Duke of Clarence
and the Earle of Warwyke fledde o-
uer the sea,

¶ In this yere kyng Henry the fyrte
was agayne restored to the crowne,

¶ This yere was the Erle of Wor-
chester beheaded.

Anno domini, m, cccc, lxx, anno decimo
Edwardi quarti,

John Stocton mercer knyght maite.
John Crosby, John warde thirifes.

¶ This yere y Duke of Clarence lan-
ded at Wertmouth wyth the Erles of
warwike, of Denbroke and Oxforde,
and with many other gentilmen,

This

A bryefe

**This yere kynge Edwarde fled ouer
the Sea.**

**Kyng henry agayne proclaimed kinge
Quene Elizabeth at westminster was
belluered of a younge pryncce named
Edward.**

**This yere was kynge Edward, &
the Duke of Gloucester attaynted as
traitours, and kyng Edward proclaimed
usurper of the crowne.**

**In this yere kynge Edward landed
in the north at a place called Bar-
winstre wyth a small compaigne of
flemynge.**



**In this yere was king hen-
ry & sirre take by king Ed-
ward & forth in & bishops
alice in London,**

In this yere was barnet feld

This yere was Tewkesbery fælde,

Anno domini, m, cccc, lxxi, anno, xi,

Edwardi quarti,

William Edwarde grece maye,

John Alepne, John Whelley & wythes

In this yere kynge Edward the

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fourth began agayne his dominion
ouer the realme of Englonde.

This yere dyed kyng Henry the fyrst
¶ Anno domini, M. cccc. lxxii. anno,
xii. Edwardi quarti.

Wyllm Hampton fishmonger mayr
Thomas Wedlowe, John Browne
Mysses.

Anno dom. M. cccc. lxxiii. anno xii
Edwardi quarti.

Thon Cate mercer mayr. William
Stocker, Robert Willeston Mysses
¶ Anno dom, M. cccc. lxxiiii an xiii
Edwardi quarti.

Robert Wyop Wyaper mayr.

Edmond Sha, Thomas Hil Mysses
¶ This yere kyng Edward made
a viage into fraunce.

¶ Anno domi. M. cccc. lxxv. anno, xv
Edwardi quarti.

Robert Basset salter mayr.

Robert Colwiche, Hugh Wisse Mysses
¶ This yere were dyuers bakers of
London set vpon the pilloie for mas
kyngs

A brief
kyng of lyght weyght of bread,
Anno dñi, M, cccc, lxxvi, anno, xvi,
Edwardi quarti,
Raufe Hostelin dyan maire, Rycharde
Rauson, Wylliam horne thyrres,
¶ This yere from Crecpilgate to bis-
shops gate London wall was newely
repayred,

Anno dom, M, cccc, lxxvii, anno, xvii,
Edwardi quarti,
Hunfrey hepyforde goldsmyth mayre,
Henry Colet, John Stoker thyrres
¶ This yere George Duke of Cla-
rence yonger brother to kyng Edward
beyng prysoner in the tower of Lon-
don was there drowned in a barrell of
Malmsy,

Anno do, m, cccc, lxxviii, anno, xviii,
Edwardi quarti,
Richard Gardener mercer mayre,
Roberte hardynge, Roberte Bifelde
thyrres,
¶ In this yere was great mortality
in London & throughout all England.
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Anno domini. m. cccc. lxxix. anno, xix.
Edwardi quarti.

Bartilmew James draper mayre.

Thomas Flam, John warde sheriffe.

Anno domini. m. cccc. lxxx. anno. 20.
Edwardi quarti.

John Browne mayre. William Bacon.
Wylliam Daniel cheryffes.

Anno domini. m. cccc. 81, anno, 21.
Edwardi quarti.

Wylliam heriot draper knyght maire.
Robert Tate, William wykyng, Ry-
charde Lawy cheryffes.

[This yere in the moneth of July
the kyng sent for the Mayre with cer-
tayne of his bretheren, & comuners of
the cytie of London, vnto the focest of
Waltham, and there caused the game
to be brought before the, so that they
lawe course after course, and many a
dece, both reed and falow dayne. And
after that the kyng commaunded his
officers to brynge the Mayre and his
company vnto a pleasant lodge made
all

A brief

al of grene botres and there set them
to dyner and serued them with many
beuty dyshes and diuers wyues good
and plentie and ouer that caused the
lorde chamberlayn with other lordes
to chere the mayre and his compaignie
sundry tymes whyle they were at di-
ner. and at their departynge gaue vn
to them Wyne & great plentie.

¶ This yere also the kynge sent vnto
the mayresse of London and her sy-
sters the Aldermens wyues two har-
tes. vi. buckes and a toune of wyne to
make them mery withal

anno domini M. cccc. lxxii. an. xxi
Edwardi quarti

Edmond Shaa goldsmyth mayere
Thon Mathew, William White Thyl.
In the begynnyng of the .xxiii. yere
the .x. day of April died the nobl king
Edward the fourth at Westminster,
and is buried at Wynsox, leauinge
after hym two sonnes, that is to saye
prynche Edward his eldest sonne. & Ri-
chard

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charde duke of york, and thre daughters, Elizabeth that after was Queene of Cecily, and Katherine.

Edward the fifth.

Edwarde the fyfthe beganne his reygne over the realme of Englande the, xi. daye of Apryll in the begynnynge of the yere of oure lord 1483, the same Edward beynge of the age of xi. yeres, or there about. This Edward was never crowned but shamefully murdered by the commaundement of Rycharde the thyrde that after was kyng of Englande.

Rycharde the thirde.

Rycharde the thyrde began his dominion over the realme of Englande the, xxi. day of June, in the yere of oure lord, 1483, and the fyrst day of July the next folowynge was crowned at Westminster.

Anno dñi. 1483, anno pñi.
A. i. mo

A bryefe

into Richardi tertii.

Robert Wylleldon haberdasher maister
Thomas Roelande, William Berter
Mynsters.

In this yere was the duke of Buc-
kyngham beheaded at Salisbury.

Anno dñi. m. cccc. lxxv. anno. ii. Ri-
chardi tertii. Thomas Wyllmayre.

Thomas Wyllmayre. Wyllard Ekester
Raufe Alstye Mynsters.

This yere the xxii. day of August in
the yere of our lord. m. cccc. lxxv. was
the battayle of Bosworth nere to Ley-
cester, in the whiche kynge Wyllard the
thyrde in the thyrde yere of his reygne
was slayne, by kynge Henry the. vii. the
whiche in thesame day began his reigne
ouer this realme, and the xxx. day of oc-
tober next folowynge, was crowned at
Westminster.

In the. xiii. day of Septembre, in y
yere of our lord last before mentioned
dyed of the sweate the foresayde Tho-
mas Wyllmayre, in whose place y xxiii
daye

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Day of the moneth & yere of our Lorde
last before mencioned, William Stock-
ker knyght, was chosen mayre whiche
Stocker dyed y, xxviii. day of the said
moneth also of y sweate. And the, xix.
day of the sayd moneth of Septembre
was John Warde chosen mayre, and
so contynued vntyll the feaste of Sym-
on and Jude, next folowynge.

Henry the seventh.

¶ Anno domini. m. cccc. lxxvi. anno. i.
henrici septimi.

Hughe Wyce goldsmyth knight maire
John Tate, John Swanne myracles.

Anno domi. m. cccc. lxxvii. anno. ii.
henrici septimi.

Henry Collet mercer knyght mayre.
John Percivale, Hughe Clopton, wi.

¶ This yere the kyng maryed kynge
Edwardes eldest daughter named El-
izabeth, and in Septembre next after
was prince Arthur borne at Winchester

Anno dñi. m. cccc. lxxviii. anno. iii.

L. ii.

henrici

William whyte mayre
The same year the commons of the County
slew the Earle of Northumberland In
the same yere was the fiede of Wikel-
me in Flaunders, foughten by the
lord Warbaner, where the lord Dors-
ley was slayne.

Anno domini. m, cccc. xc, anno quinto
henrici septimi.

William whyte mayre

William Capel John Broke Siriffes

Anno domini. m. cccc. xci, anno sexto
henrici septimi.

John Mathew mercer mayre.

Henry Cooke. Robert Newell, Hughe
Pernerton Siriffes.

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¶ This yere was the lord Henry the kynges seconde sonne bozne at Grenewiche in June.

Anno domini, M. cccc. xcii. anno. vii. henrici septimi.

Hughe Clopton mercer mayre. Thomas wood, Willia Browne shryffes.

Anno domini. m. cccc. xciii. anno. viii. henrici septimi.

Willia Martin skynner mayre. William Burchat, Willia welbeke. shryff.

¶ This yere in the moneth of October was a fray made vpon the Easterlinges by y^e commons of y^e cite of London. And specially by mercers seruantes

Anno dñi. M. cccc. xciiii. anno nono henrici septimi.

Raufe Austrey fyshmōger mayre. Robert Fabian, William Winger shryff.

¶ This yere was wheate at. vi. d. the busshyll, and bay salt at. iiii. d. ob a busshyll in the cytie of London.

¶ This yere was fyr William Stanley beheaded.

A bryefe

Anno domini. M. cccc. xlv. anno. x.
henrici septimi.

Richarde Chawp Salter mayre. Py-
cholas Albyn, John warner shyppes.
¶ This yere was whyte herpynge colde
for thye. s. iiii. d. a baryl at London, and
not aboue.

Anno domini, M. cccc. xlv. anno. xi.
henrici septimi.

Henry Collet mercer knyght mayre,
Thomas knelworth Henry Sompt
shyppes.

Anno domi, M. cccc. cvii. anno. xii.
henrici septimi.

John Tate mercer mayre.

John Whaa, Rycharde haddon Mirif.
¶ This yere the, xviii. d. ye of June,
was Blacketh fildes.

Anno domi. M. cccc. xlviii. anno. xiii.
henrici septimi.

Willia Burchafe mercer mair, Bar-
tholme Bede, Thomas wyndone sh.

Anno domi. M. cccc. xcix. anno. xiiii.
henrici septimi.

John

Chronicle,

**John Percivale marchaunt Carloue
maye, Thomas Staundbury, Steven
Jennys Shyppes.**

**Anno domini. M. cccc. anno. xv.
henrici septimi,**

**Nicholas Allwyn maye, James wy-
foide, Rycharde Bond Shyppes,**

**This yere was the Erie of warwycke
beheaded.**

**This yere the kyng and the quene
sailed to Calis, & at saint Bethers they
met with the duke of Burgoyne.**

**Anno domini. M. cccc. i. anno. xvi.
henrici septimi.**

**Wylliam Kemyngham maye. John
Hawes, Wylliam Stet Shyppes.**

**This yere the fourth daye of Octo-
ber landed at Wylmynoth Katherine
daughter to the kyng of Spayne,**

**Anno domini. M. cccc. ii. anno. xvii.
henrici septimi.**

John Shaa goldsmith maye.

Laurence Sylmer, Henry hede Shyppes.

This yere vppon, Crkenwaides day

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was

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was pryncce Arthur maryed to the for-
sayd lady Katheryne, which pryncce dys-
ed in the Easter weke folowynge.

Anno domini. M. ccccc. iii. anno. xviii.
henrici septimi.

Bartylmeu Rede goldsmith mayre.

Henry Kebell, Nicolas Pyuers Myrre.

This yere the. xi. daye of February
died quene Elizabeth in the towne of
London beyng in chyldebed, & the. viii.
day of August was the kynge of Scot-
tes maryed to Margaret the eldeste
doughter.

Anno domini. M. ccccc. iiii. anno. xix.
henrici septimi.

Wyllyam Capell draper mayre.

Christopher hawes, Robert warres,

Thomas Traunges Myrres.

Anno domini. M. ccccc. v. anno. xx.
henrici septimi.

John Wynger grocer mayre. Roger
Athelley, William Browne Myrres.

Anno domini. M. ccccc. vi. anno. xxi.
henrici septimi.

Thos

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Thomas Fyefworth fyfhemonger
mayre, Rycharde Shoze, Roger Gro-
ner Myrres.

In this yere was the wetherroke
of Boules blowne downe, and the
Duke of Burgonpe was dyuen to
lande in the West countrey.

Anno domini. M. cccc. vii. anno. xxi
henrici septimi.

Rycharde haddō mercer knyght mayre,
Wylliam Coppynger, Wylliam Fitt,
Wylliam Myrres.

Anno domi. M. cccc. viii. anno. xxii.
henrici septimi.

Wylliam Browne mercer, Laurence
Dymmer mayres. Wylliam Butler,
John Wykeby Myrres.

This yere was a great parte of the
cylle of Roiswyche bent.

Anno domi. M. cccc. ix. anno. xxiii.
henrici septimi.

Steven Jenyns marchaunt taplour
mayre, Thomas Exmewe, Rycharde
Dmyth Myrres.

A bylese

In this yere the .xi. day of Apryll
died king Henry the .vii. at Rychemond
the .xxiii. yere of his reygne, and is
buried at Westmynstre.

Henry the eyght.

Our moste gracious souereygne
lorde kynge Henrye the eyghte,
began his reygne the .xxii. daye
of Apryll in the yere of oure lord, M.
cccc. ix, and was crowned at West-
minster in the feast of the Natyvitie of
saynt John Baptist.

Anno domini, M. ccccc. x. anno primo
henrici octavi.

Thomas Bradbury mercer mayre,
George Monox, John Docket shyrif.

In this yere was Emson and Duds-
ley beheaded.

This yere was sir Wyllyam Fitz-
wyllyam disfranchised because he wold
not be shyrif.

Anno

Chronicle,

Anno domini. m. ccccc. xi. anno. secundo
henrici octavi.

Henry Cribel mayre, John mylborne,
John West Meryffes.

This yere Henry the kynges sonne
was borne at rychnond on newyeres
daye, & Justes kept at Westmynster.

And on. s. Mathewes day y chylde dyed

Anno domini. m. ccccc. xii. anno tertio
henrici octavi.

Roger Achpiller Draper mayre.

Nicholas Shelton, Thomas Myrfin
Meryffes.

This yere was the Lorde Darsey
sent into Spayne, to ayde the kyng of
Spayn agaynst the Mores, but peace
was made before his arryuyng, and so
he returned home agayne.

This same season was syr Edward
Downynge sente into Gelderlande, to
ayde the pyncet of Castell.

The same tyme the Lorde Hamarke
toke Andrew Berton and. x. lx. Scot.
tes, and two sayre myppes.

True

A bylefe

**Anno dñi. M. cccc. xiii. anno quarto
henrici octavi.**

**Wylliam Coppinger, Wycharde Had-
don knyght maye. Roberte Holdeyn,
Robert Fentother myppes.**

**This yere was Edward Delapole
beheaded.**

**This yere the lord Marques Dor-
set was sent into Spayne with x. M.
men, and did muche hurte in Guen, &
retourned in wynter by reason of the
fyrre, and on S. Laurence daye the res-
gent & the Carpyke were bynt, whiche
were two great myppes.**

**Anno dñi. M. cccc. xliii. anno quinto
henrici octavi.**

Wylliam Blowne mercer maye.

John Dawes, John Wyte myppes.

**This yere the sayde Dawes dyed
within the yere, and in his place was
chosen Roger Balfoide.**

**This yere Sir Edward Paufward
lovede admyrall of England, was slaine
on saynt Markes daye in Bytayne
by**

Cronicle,

by muche hardynesse.

The same yere in June the kynge besyged Cypwyne, and discomforted the power of Fraunce, at Boamp, and toke the cities of Cypwyn and Turney, and retourned without any more battayle offered.

Durynge which time the kynge of Scots anoyed Englande with an. C. M. men, and was slayne hym selfe, and his Erles by the Earle of Surrey the kynges lieftenaunte wherefore the kynge created hym duke of Northfolke, and his eldest sonne Earle of Surrey.

Anno dñi. M. cccc. xv. anno sexto henrici octavi.

George Monox Draper maye.

James varforde, John Munday chir.

This yere was a peace concluded betwene England and Fraunce. And on S. Denice daye the frenche kynge married the Lady Marpe the kynges syster, and on newes yeres daye after he dyed, and therfore the kynge sente for her

A byiefe

her agayne by the Duke of Suffolke,
and other.

In this yere was Richarde Hune
hanged in Rolles Tower.

An. do. m. cccc. xvi. an. vii. henrici. 8.

By Wylliam Butler grocer mayor.

By Wylliam Doyle, Richard Gray Meryffes.

The sayd Gray died within the yere, &
for hym was chosen William Bayle.

In this yere in February, was bozne
at Grenewitche the Lady Mary, the
kynges daughter.

In Aprill the Frenche Quene came
into Englande, and was married to the
Loide Charles Duke of Suffolke.

This yere Margarete Quene of
Scottes, syster to the kyng, fledde into
Englande, and laye at Harbottell, and
she was deliuered of a daughter, called
Margarete, and came to London in
May, and tarped there a whole yere
before she retourned.

Anno dñi. M. cccc. xvii, anno. viii.
henrici octavi.

John

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John Welle grocer mayor. Thomas
Weymour, Rycharde Cusston Sheriffes
This yere was such a frost that all
men with cartes myght passe betwene
Westminster and Lambeth.

This yere on May even was an in-
urrection of yong persons against a-
mans, of the whiche divers were put to
execution, and the residue came to Wes-
minster with haulters aboute their
necks, and were pardoned. And y. 24.
daye of May the Quene of Scottes
retourne into Scotlande agayne.

An. dni. m. cccc. xviii. an. ix. henrici. 8.
Thomas Erme we Goldsmythe
Mayor. Thomas Baudy, Rycharde
Symon Sheriffes.

In this yere was the terme adiour-
ned to Oxforde, and agayn to London
In October thadmyral of Fraunce
came into Englade, and Turney was
deputed to the French kyng agayne.
Anno domini, M. cccc. xix. anno. x.
henrici octavi.

Thomas

A bylefe

Thomas Mytyn knyghte maye.

John alepne, James Spence Chiridge

In this yere at Frackford, Charles the, v. was elected Emperour

This yere the Erle of Surrey was sent into Irelande.

Anno Domini. M. cccc. xx. anno, xi. henrici octavi.

My James parforde mercer maye.

John william, Nicolas phetrich shir.

This yere the king and the frenche kynge mette at the campe betweene Arde and Guisnes where were greates triumphes.

After that the kyng and the Emperour met and the kyng went to Grauelyn with hym, and he came to Calys with the kyng, and had great chere, and the kyng retourned.

Anno Domini. M. cccc. xxi. anno, xii. henrici octavi.

My John Budge draper maye.

John Dewington, John keinde & y.

This yere the Duke of Buckingham was

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was beheaded the .xxii. of maye.

In June the Cardinal went to Calice to intreate a peace betwene the Emperour and the French king, and taried there tyll Detemore withoute anye thyng concluded.

Anno domini. m. ccccc. xlii. anno. xlii. henrici octavi.

Syr John Wyburne draper maye.

John Wyntane, Thomas Pargeton
merchere.

This yere the fryday before Pentecost, is to say, the sixt daye of June Charles the .v. Emperour was honorably receyved into the cytie of London of the Maye, Aldermen and comynalte, our souerayne Royde accompayning him. And fro London he went to Wyndesore and sat in the stal of the garter, and from thence to hampton, and sailed over the sea into Spayne, during which tyme the earle of Surrey lord Admiral went wylles in Britayne, & after landed at Calice, and entred pr-

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carbye, and brent towne and castels,
and besieged Helsing, but bycause of
winter he raysed his siege & retourned.

This yere the duke of Albany was
entringe into Englande wyth a greate
armie, but whē he heard that the erle of
Whorwilsbury was cōming to fight w
him, he take a truce for. vi. monethes.

Anno dom. M. cccc. xliii, an, xliii,
henrici octavi.

Wys Thon Baudy goldsmith mayle,
Thon Rudstone, Thon Champines
Shriftes.

This yere Crikerne kyng of Den
marke came into England in June.

This yere the earle of Surrey brent
Bedworthe and many other townes in
scotlande.

In this yere the turke besciged the
Rodes & on christmas day he toke it.

Anno domini, M. D. xliii. anno. x.
henrici octavi.

Wys Thomas Baudy mer mayle.

Wishel Engliche. Nicolas Fenius.
Shriftes.

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thirtees.

This yere the Duke of Suffolke was sente into Fraunce wyth ten, M. men & passed the water of Somme without battel, toke and destroyed many towres, and in Decembre he retourned,

The same yere the Duke of Albanye besieged the castell of warke, and hearing of the earle of Surre is comminge with a greate army he cowardly fled. Anno do. M. D. xxv. anno. xvi.

Henric octavi.

Sir William Baylye draper mayre, Raufe Wodmer, William Roche &c. This yere came from the Emperour y^e lorde Champher, and other lordes.

☞ This yere came out of Scotlande the byshoppe of Dunkell and other as Ambassadors.

This yere on s. Mathias daye was the french king taken by the emperor. This yere was a muting in norfolke, and Suffolke, for paymente of money. A peace concluded betwene Englande

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A bryefe

and Fraunce.

The frenche kyng was deliuered in
Marche.

This yere was the coyne enhanced.
Anno domini. M. cccc. xxi. an. xvii.
henrici octavi.

Sir John Alein mercer knight mayor.
John cauton, Christopher Ascoueriffes
Anno dñi. M. cccc. xxvii. anno. xviii.
henrici octavi.

Syr Thomas Heymer in reer mayor.
Steuen Pecock, Nicolas Albert Myrre

This yere the coyne began to faile

This yere the Cardinall went into
Fraunce w a great pompe where he co
cluded a leage betwene the kyng & the
frenche kyng, whiche both despyed the
Emperour, & sent an army into Italy,
and in September he retourned.

In october the greate maister of Fraunce
came to London with great triumphe
for conclusion of the same leage.

Anno dñi M. cccc. xxviii. anno. xix.
henrici octavi.

Leonele,

Syr James Spencer vintener mayre.
John hardy, Wyllyam halles sheriffe
¶ This yere come was very dere and
had been deter yf marchauntes of the
Dryyard had not been, and duch thyp
pes restrained & an abstinence of warre
betwene Englande and Flaunders.

On S. Denyle daye a legate came
from Rome.

Anno domini. M. cccc. xix. anno. xi
henrici octavi.

Syr John Ruckone draper mayre.
Raufe warren, John long theryffes.

¶ This yere in June y legates late
at the blacke Fryers for the kynges
marpage.

This yere in October the Cardinall
was deposed of the chauncelloxthyp.

This yere was a peace concluded
betwene the Emperour and the kyng.

Anno domini. M. cccc. xx. anno. xxi
henrici octavi.

Sir Rauf Dodmer mercer mayre. Mi
ghel dozmer, Water Chāpion theryffes

T. iii.

This

A bryefe

This yere the Emperour was crow-
ned at Bonouie.

Anno domini. M. cccc. xxi, an. xxi
henrici octavi.

By Thomas Pargetox Salter mayre,
Wylliam Daurry, John Clopping
Meriffes.

This yere was the Frenche kinges
chyldezen delyuered.

One boyled in Smythfield for poy-
sonyng.

This yere dyed the Cardynall on
Capnet Andzewes euen.

Anno dñi. M. cccc. xxii, anno. xxi.
henrici octavi.

Nicholas Lambert Grocer mayre,
Rycharde Grethame, Edwarde Altam
Meriffes.

This yere the kyng began to buylde
his place at Westmynster.

In this yere was Cristeth Ryle
beheaded.

This yere in October the kyng went
ouer the sea, & met wth the French kyng

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Anno dñi. M. ccccc. xxxiii. anno. xxliii
henrici octavi.

By Stephen peacock haberdasher maister.
Richard Raynold, Richard Pyncheon
John Martine thershes.

This yere the kynge was deuorced
from his lawfull wyfe Quene Katheryne,
and than he maryed Lady Anne
Bollein, whiche was crowned Quene
on Whitsondaye.

On Midsummer day dyed the Freche
quene, wyfe vnto the duke of Suffolke
This yere was bozne the lady Elizabeth
at Grenewiche on the eue of the
Natiuite of our lady.

Anno dñi. M. ccccc. xxxiiii. an. xxv.
henrici octavi.

Christopher a scu knyght draper maister.
Wylliam Forman, Thomas Wyson,
thershes.

This yere was a Nunne called the
holy mayde of Kent, ii. monkes, & two
fryers, and a priest hanged and headed
for treason, blasphemy, & hypocrisie.

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This

A bryefe

This yere was a peace concluded with Scotlande.

This yere was the byschoppe of Rome with all his power abolyshed quyte out of this realme.

Anno domini, M. cccc. xxxv. an. xxvi
henrici octavi.

Syr John champnes skynner mayre.
Nicolas leueston, Wyllyam Denham
sheriffes.

This yere y earle of kildare died in the Towre, & his son rebelled & slew the bishop of deuelin: wherfore y king sent syr Wyllyam Skeuinton thither.

This yere was graunted to the kyng the fyrst fruytes, and the tenthes of all spirituall possessions.

In June was the Byshop of Rochester & syr Thomas moore beheaded for denyng the kyng to be supream head of the churche of Englande.

And in this yere were two monkes of the charter house executed for the same offence.

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**Anno dñi. M. cccc. xxxvi. an. xxviii.
henrici octavi.**

**Wy John Alepne mercer the seconde
tyme maire, Wyfrey monmouth, John
Lottes thyrffes.**

**☞ This yere was quene Anne, the
lozde rocheford, Roys, Weston, bynes-
ton, and Markes, beheaded.**

**And the kynge maryed lady Jane
Deymer.**

**☞ This yere in October began a fo-
lythe commocion in Lyncolnshyre and
an other in yorke shyre, by meanes of
the lozde Darceye, the lozde Husse, by
Robert Constable, and Robert Aske,
whiche by the kynges wysdome & his
prudent counseyll were appeased with-
out bloude sheddyng.**

**Anno dñi. M. cccc. xxxvii. an. xxviii.
henrici octavi.**

Wy Raufe waren mercer maye.

**Richard Waget, Wyllyam Bowyer
thyrffes.**

**☞ This yere the kynge & the quene
rode**

A byefe
rode through London wyth a goodlye
companye.

In February was Thomas Fitzga-
ret, and five of his vnckles, hanged, dra-
wen and quartered,

This yere the lord Darcy, syr Fraun-
ces Wygot, syr Robert Constable, and
other began a newe cōspyracie, whiche
were attaynted, & put to death in June

This yere on saynct Edwardes euen
was Prynce Edward bozne at Ham-
ton courte.

This yere the .xxiii. day of October
dyed queene Jane, & is buried at Wynsor
Anno Dñi. M. cccc. xxxviii. anno. xix
henrici octavi.

Syr Rycharde Gresham, mer. mayer.
John Gresham, Thomas Lewyn Ches-
tyllers.

This yere began the collection for
the poore, and a greate nombre were
cured of many greuous dysceases thro-
whe the charytie thereof.

In Maye was syrer Royle hanged
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and byente in Smythfyeld for treason
and heresie.

Anno, Dñi. M. cccc. xxxix. anno. xxx.
henrici octavi.

Sir Wyllyam Forman, mayor. Wyllyam
Wilkinson, Nicholas Gibson Sheriff.

This yere in December was the
Marques of Exeter, the lord Mon-
tacute, and Syr Edward Russell, be-
headed for hygh treason duely proued.

In Maye the cytezens of London
mustered al in bright harnesse and cotes
of whyte spike with whyte clothe, and
cheynes of golde, in this great battay-
les, to the great wonder of straungers.
An. do, M. D. xl. an. xxi. henrici octavi
Syr Wyllyam Holeys mayor. John
Faite, Thomas Buntlowe, Messers.
This yere in November the Abbot of
Redyng, Glassebury, and Colchester
were attaynted of high treason, & lyke
traptours put to death.

The. xxviii. daye of July, Thomas
Crumwell, late before created earle of
Essex,

A bryefe

Essex, and Waterloode Hungerforde were beheaded at the Tower hyl for treason. And the .xxx. day were Barnes Garet, & Gierome burnt for heresy, also the same day were Abel, Bowel and Fecherston, drawn, hanged and quartered in Smythfelde for treason.

¶ This sommer was a great heate broughte, so that in many places the people woule haue geuen one busshell for the greynyng of the other.

This yere was the byshop of Chichester and doctour Wylson, delivered out of the towre by the kynges pardon.

Anno dñi. M. cccc. xli, anno. xxxii. henric octau.

By Wyllyam Roche mayre, Wyllyam Baron, cyr Martyn Howes shirifes.

This yere the collection for þe poore people ceased.

In December were Egerton & Hareman put to execution for counterfeiting the kynges great seale.

¶ This yere the kynges grace began
Great

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great buyldyng at Calis and Eynes

In Apryll certayne priests and lay men began a new commotion in poxshyre, whiche were shortly taken & put to death in diuers places, one leight & two other were put to death at London the xxvii. daye of Maye. And for that offence was Syr John Neuell knyghte drawen, hanged, and quartered at poxke, on Corpus Christi euen, and xxx. hanged for robbery.

This yere the xixt day of May there was a Proclamation that the Wyte should be had in euery parysh church within this realme, ready for al sortes of people to reade and heare Goddes worde at conuenient tymes.

This yere the Countes of Salisbury was beheaded the xxviii. daye of Maye,

The ix. day of June were two women of the kyniges garde hanged at grenewyche for robbery, in example of all other.

And

A briebe

And the. x. day. of June, was Syr Ed-
monde Beueket knyghte arraygned in
the kynges hal there for geuing a blow
in the kynges house, and shoulde haue
lost his hande, if the kynges mayestie
had not extended his mercy towarde
him.

This. xii. day of July there was an
other proclamation, that no holy daie
shoulde be kepte, excepte oure Ladys
dayes, the Apostles, Euangelistes, S.
George, and saint Mary Magdalene
& that saint Marke shoulde not be ta-
ken ne kepte as a fastynge daie, nor
sainte Laurence euen, neyther that
chylde shoulde be decked, ne go about
vpon saint Nicolas, saint Katherine
sainte Clement, the holy Innocentes,
and suche lyke dayes.

Also the. xxviii. daie of July, was
the lord Leonarde Grey, beheaded at
tower hyl for dyuers treasons don: in
Irelande whyle he was the kynges de-
putie there.

The

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The same yere were .iii. gentylmen called Mautel, Roydon, and Frowdes hanged at saint Thomas waterynge, for commyttynge a shamefull murder, and makynge an vnlawfull assemble, confirmed by a sedicious othe in Sussex in Maye last, in the cōpany of the Lorde Dakers of the South, whiche Lorde Dakers was on saint Peters daye folowynge led from the Towre through London by the sheryffes on fote to Tyborne, and there hanged.

And the fyrste daye of Iulye, was a Welshman drawen, hanged and quartered for prophesyinge of the kynges maiesties death, whose hyghnes Iesu longe preserve with hys noble Impereynce Edward in honoure welthe prosperite long to endure. Amen.

Anno domi. M. cccc. xli, anno. xxxiii henrici octavi.

Syr Wyghel Dornier maye. Syr Rouland Wyl, Henry Duckely chirif.
In this yere the tenth day of Marche there

A bryefe

there was a mayde boyled in Smiths
fielde for poysonynge dyuers honeste
persons that she had dwelled with in
the cytie of London.

¶ This yere came in the earle of Des-
monde, and the great oneyl out of Ire-
lande and dyd submit them to the kin-
ges maiestie, and after their submission
the great Oneyl was created Earle of
Tyron, and his sonne Baron of Don-
tamen.

Anno dñi, M. cccc. xlii. anno. xxiij.
henrici octavi.

John cotes Walter mayre, Henry Ho-
blethorne, Henry amcotes shryffes,

¶ In this yere the frost dured so lōg
that manye of the pooze people cryed
out for lacke of wood and coales, that
the mayre went to the wood wharfes,
and selde to the pooze people byllette
and fagotte by the peniworth.

¶ Also this yere was an act of par-
liament, for wood and coale to kepe the
full sylle, after the Purgyfication of our
ladye

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Lady, that shalbe in the yere of oure
Lorde M. cccc. xliii. that no man shall
bargayne, sell, bypnyge or conueye, to be
uttered or sold, vpon pain of forfaiture.

This yere the, xxviii. daye of July,
was byent at Wyndesore thre persones,
that is to saye, one knyght Anthony parson
priest, and two secular men and the
thirde had the kynges pardon.

Also this yere was proclaimed in
the cite of London the, iii. daye of Au-
guste, open warre betwene oure souer-
aigne lord the Kyng, and the French
kyng, so the kynges highnes geuynge
lycence and auctoritie to every of his
sayd subiectes to vse the sayd French
kyng and all that depended vpon him
to their mooste aduauntage and com-
moditie as his mayestyes ennemies
hath in suche lyke case heretofore been
vled and accustomed.

Anno dñi. M. cccc. xliii. anno. xxxv.
henrici octavi.

M^r William Bowyer dyaper whiche
deceased

A bryefe

Deceased beyng mapre, and after hym
was chosen by Raufe Waren, John
Koules, Richard Dobbes mynistres,

This yere was a great death in Lon-
don whiche continued so longe, that
there was no terme kept at London at
Myghelmas, but was remoued to S.
Bibones, and there kept.

In the yere of our lord, m. v. c. xlv
and the. xxxvi yere of our souerayne
lord kyng Henry the. viii. in the tyme
of the mayzaltie of by Raufe Waren
the kynges maiestie sente an armie in-
to Scotlande the. iiii. daye of May,
and landed at Lithe, and so wente bur-
ninge and destroyinge the countrey as
foute, sparynge neyther castell towne
pile ne byllage.

The borowe and towne of Eden-
brough, wyth the Abbey called Holy
Roode house, and the kynges Palys
adjoynd to the same were destroyed.

The towne of Lithe also, & the haven
and pye destroyed. The castell and
village

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village of Cragmiller, the Abbaye of
new bettel, and part of Buskelborow
towne, the Chapell of our Lady of
Latwet, pletton towne, and the castell
Haryngton towne with the Freres, &
nunnery a castell of Wyuer Wacke-
res, the towne of Wundebarrz, Lau-
restone with the Graunge.

Wyplaw,

Marcle.

Westercrag.

Harpen.

Enderlaughe.

Byland hyl.

The pile, & the towne

Ratherwyke.

Broughton.

Belton.

Chester felles.

East barnes.

Cratoned.

Howlande.

Dudistone.

Gutterden.

Stanhouse.

Quickewoe.

The Fyker.

Blackbourne.

Bewerton.

Raunton.

Cranent.

Widland the towne,

Shenstone.

And manye other townes & villages
lyent by the flete vpon þe sea syde, with
a greate number of pyles & villages,

A brief

whiche I can not name nor rehearse,
whiche he destroyed and lefte desolate,
Kyncoine, S. Miners, the Quenes
Ferry, parte of Detinwaynes. And o-
ther dyuerse thynges done by the Erle
of Warforde lieutenant to the kynges
maiestie.

¶ At Lythe in Scotlande were made
xlv. knyghtes.

Also this yere the kynges maiestie
prepared an Army into Fraunce, and
thither he went his owne persone and
besyged the stronge towne of Bullen
in Fraunce, as here after ye shall here.
¶ The. xliii. day of Iulye the kynges
maiestie departed fro Douer toward
Calys.

The. xv. daye of Iulye his mayestie
remoued to Morgysen, and there camp-
ped one nyght.

The. xvi. daye of Iuly his maiestie
remoued to hie Bullen, & there camped
on the Northeast parte of the towne.

The. xvii. day of Iuly my Lorde of
Dorset

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Suffolke laied siege vnto hys Bulle,
and there camped on the East parte of
the towne.

The .xxviii. day of July, the watche
tower, otherwyle called the olde man,
was wonne.

The .xxix. daye of July, Bale Bul-
lepne was wonne.

The .xi. day of September was made
a great Harum, and the castell was so
shakē with gunpowder, that the stones
whiche wayed thyrty pounde weyghte
byd fice .xx. score of, the whiche not a
lytle greued the inhabytours to theyr
dayly paynes and toymentes.

The .xiii. daye of September, the
towne was victoriously conquered by
our moste dread soueraigne lord kyng
Henry the eyghte kyng of Englande,
Fraunce and Irelande, defendour of
the faythe and in earth supream head
of the church of Englande. and Ire-
lande, whiche after the entreatye and
humble petition made of the Frenche

A brieffe

men gaue theym licence to take bagge
and baggage with thē, & so to departe.

The.xiii. Day of September, at.iii.
of the clocke at after noone, the towne
gate way opened, & the people began
to come out, & they helde on tyll seven
of the clocke at night. And there were
in number of men, women, & children
iii.m. and of them.xv.℥, able men of
war: & they had with thē as muche, as
they cou'de carry both mē, womē, & chil
dren, & was able to beare any thinge, &
their horses & kine wer loden with as
muche stuffe as they could beare away
And they had. lx. & .xv. waggons laden w
thē. What laude & prayse ought they
to giue vnto God, what woorthye salu
tations ought they to render to suche
a mercyfull and bozantifull kinge and
balyaunt Prynce. & how ought they
to praye daylye for the prosperous
reygne of this victorious & myghty
prynce, which shewed them such mercy
and fauoure, wyth the safegarde of

them

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their liues. The .xv. dai of September
the kinges maiestie entred into hyghe
Wolein, with the nobilite of his realme
& trūpettes blowinge, that it reioysed
all þ̄ whole host to heare, & wold haue
comforted al true English mens hear-
tes to haue hearde and sene the vycto-
rious conquest that was had by oure
moſt dread ſoueraigne ouer the may-
dens towne: for þ̄ which, honour prayſe
and glorie be geuen to almyghty God
the father for ever. Amen.

An. do. m. cccc. xliiij. anno. xxvi, Et
rxi octavi William Raxton Mayre,
John Wilford, Andrew Jud Myppes

The first day of October þ̄ kinges
grace departed frō Woleyne towarde
Douer: And at his goynge he dubbed
foure knyghtes at the water syde.

The eyght day of October the Dolpin
came with great power oute of hyghe
Fraunce, & camped at Worgisen, and
ſente his trumpet with .ii. L. hoſes
men & mē of armes towarde Woleyne,

A briebe

and they marched on y^e Northeast syde
where the kinges grace camped & the
trumpetter came to Boleyne gate, and
blewe his trumpet to come to my lord
Deputy, and tarped at the gate from .ix.
of the clocke before none, tyll .ii. of the
clocke at after none and then he came
into Boleyne to my Lorde Deputy, and
sayd: the Dolphyn his maister had sent
to somon the towne, and my lord De-
puty and the counsell gave aunswer to
the Dolphin of desyaunce, and the
trūpetter & the buſhiment of hoſemen
marched backe towarde Worghſen.

¶ The .ix. daye of October about two
or thre of the clocke in the morninge,
came the Dolphyn and his army from
Worghſen towards Boleyne on the
Northeast syde, to the Wilde man, and
from thence marched forth downe to
Base Boleyne aboute foure or fyve of
the clocke in the morninge, and there
began to spoyle and kyll our menne in
their beddes, & made great slaughter,
tyll

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tyll the Alarm was heard of all our
men in base Woleyne. And the frenche
men approached faste on them, yet by
the myght of God, our menne, maye
byng lyke, and but a small numbre
to the frenche men, fought with them
fro. v. of the clocke tyll halfe an houre
passe lyke. Then the Alarm was
heard in heyghe Woleyne by the men
of base Woleyne, whiche were soze a-
maled, and many were slayne and hurt
for lacke of captaynes, & the rest were
dyuen vp to Woleyne gates. And then
al the men in hygh Woleyne were com-
maunded to the walles, and then the
great ordinaunce was shot out of hygh
Woleyne into base Woleyne, amonge
the frenchemen, and slewe many of the
yet the frenche menne recovered the
towne of them, tyl the lorde deputy co-
maūded by Thomas Popynghes to
take certayne men with hym, for hye
men warbed in base Woleyne y night,
and by the myght of God & good for-
tune,

A briebe

time, Syr Thomas Popynghes spied a
standerd with a. L. men, and cryed a
new Harū, and set on the Frenchemen
cōpnyge couragiously towards them
and fought sore with thē, the Frenche
men turned their backs & ran a waye,
and our men folowed and slew manye
of them, and put thē all to flight, than-
kes be to God, and there was manye
slayne on bothe parties, to the number
of. ix. hūdieth, besides those that were
hurt, of the which many died. And the
same day our mē toke. xv. standerdes,
and slew the beaers of them.

Also there was slayne of theyr captay-
nes to vñūbie of thye scoore, one was
taken & no more. And they toke one of
our captaynes, & diuers other vñ were
taken to the nūbie of. xii. or. xvi. and
than they marched toward Morigen.

The. x. day of October the Dolphin
sent his trōpetter to the lord Deputy
of Bolegne, to know what captay-
nes, men of armes, & other of his men
the

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the Englyshe men had taken. And the
loide deputy made answere and sayd,
he had but one. Then the Dolphin
trumpetter sayde, that they lacked of
their captaynes, me of armes, and o-
ther of theyr foote men, to the number
of vii.c. and mo. And the loide deputy
delyuered the frenche captayne, and
the Dolphin delyuered ours.

The. xi. day of October came a great
Rauyn of frenche shippes ryght be-
fore Boleyn, and there remayned in
syght two dayes. And the sayled forth
betwene Boleyn and Calis, to heare
of theyr mayster the Dolphin.

This yere was taken by the kynges
shippes of the West countrey, and of
the Englyshe coste, the number of. ccc.
frenche shippes and more.

The. xvi. day of January in the yere
of. xlv. there camped on the Westside
of Boleyn, beyonde y haue an armie
of frenche men to the nūber of. xviii.
thousande, & laye there the space of. x.
dayes.

A briebe

dayes. And the. vi. daye of February,
they were all put to flyght by the Erie
of Herforde and the lorde Admirall,
then beyng lorde deputy of Woleyne,
with a small cōpany of men, & without
bloude shedyng on the Englyshe syde,
but dyuerse of them were slayne. And
they lefte all their ordynance wyth
bagge and baggage behynde them.

After whiche victoie, Syr Thomas
Popynghes was made Lorde.

¶ This yere in Iulye aboute the. xx.
daye, the frenche men with a great na
uye of shippes, enuaded the Ile of
Wight, where as they were dyscuss
backe, and a great nombre slayne.

This yere in Septēber the churche
of saynt Eyles wythout Lrypelgate
was brent.

¶ Anno do. m. cccc. xlv. anno. xxxviii.
Henrici octavi.

Wit Martin bowes goldsmith mayre,
George Barnes Wauke Alein Shyff.

¶ This yere in February shuld a wo

man

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man haue been brente in Smythfelde
for clypppyng of golde, but the kynges
pardon came the bepng at the stake re-
dy to be brent.

In this yere the Cytezens of Lon-
don leuped in the cytie. ii. fyftenes for
the conueyaunce of more water to the
Little.

In this yere the. xiii. daye of June
bepng whytsondaye, and the yere of
our lord God. M. cccc. xlii. a conti-
nuall peace was proclaymed in the cy-
tie of London. betwene the kyng of
Englaunde of the one partie, and the
Frenche kyng of the other partie, with
a solemne proceſſion, at the tyme of
proclamacion. geuing laude and praife
to God, the auctour of peace, and at
myght thowout the cytie greate fyres,
with muche ioye and gladnes.

In this yere the. xviij. daye of June,
Doctoꝝ Crome preached at Daules
croſſe, and there openlye confeſſed, that
he had been ſeduced with naughty bo-
kes.

A briefe

kes contrary to the trewe doctryne of Christ, and in thys doynge he sayde he was not compelled so to saye neyther for feare nor by any other meanes, but onely of his free and voluntary wyll.

Thys yere was spent in Smythfield Anne Askue, and thre moze for Heresy and doctoryn Wharton recated the same tyme.

In the same yere, the. xxi. daye of Auguste, came into Englande to doo his duty from the french kyng Moun-
sire Deneball, his admyrall of Fraunce, wyth great triumphe, and brought with him the Sacre of Depe, and. xii. Gallies well besene, in dyuers poyntes, and landed at the Towre, where he was honourably receiued with manie nobles, and peeres of thys realme, with great shottynge of Gunnes, and so broughte to the Byshop of Londons place, and lay there. ii. nyghtes, that is to say, the. xxi. and. xxii. daye of Auguste, in the yere of our Lorde

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On Monday, the xxiii. day of August, he dyd ryde to Hampton Court where the kynge laye, and before he came there, the Prynce receyued him with a goodly cōpany. For there was the numbre of, v. **L. xl.** Velvet coats, and the prynces lyncery were with sleeves of clothe of Golde, and halfe the coats imbrodered also with Gold, and there were to the numbre of eyght hundred horses royally apparelled, which brought him to the Manor of Hampton Courte, to the prudente & redoubted prince his father. and Queene Katherine, & on the morowe the kinge and the sayde Mounseur Teneball, brake the hoste betwene them for a generall peace, and so continued in banketyngs and pleasure, triumphantly, with noble maskes and mummeries, wyth divers and sondrye chaunges, in so muche that the Torch bearers were clothed in cloth of golde, thys continued
vi.

A briefe

of his daies, and so returned into France
with many sundry gyftes given him
and his retynne.

Anno Dñi. M. cccc. xlii. an. xv. bñ.
henrici octavi.

Henry Hobelthorne marchant tay-
lour mayre, Wycharde greues. Tho-
mas curtes thypys.

This yeaere, the. xix. day of January,
was the Earle of Surrey beheaded
at the Towre hyl for treason.

This yeaere, the. xviii. daye of Ja-
nuarye, departed oute of this worlde,
the noble kynge Henry the eyghte of
that name, whose soule God take to
his infynite mercy, vnder whome we
his people of Englande, lyued longe a
Joyfull and a peasable lyfe. And was
full Royally buryed at Wyndsoze
the. xvi. daye of February in
the same yeaere.

Kyng Edward the.

And
he,

Edwarde the syxth beganne his
reigne the. xxxi. daye of Ja-
nuary, in the yere of our Lorde
M.cccc.xlvi. and was proclay-
med kynge, in all his fathers realmes
and landes. And the nyntene daye of
February, he rode solemnely with his
uncle Syr Edward Seymoure, Lorde
gouvernour, and Protectour, Duke of
Somersette, with the nobilitie of the
realme, from the Tower to Westmin-
ster, through the citie of London, whi-
che was rychely hanged with Louer-
lettes, and Carpettes of Tapestrye, &
Arras, Thepesyde beeyng rychely han-
ged with clothe of syluer and golde,
euerye conduite runnyng with wyne.
Wagentes of chyl dren, beeyng rychely
apparellled, to receiue hym at euery pla-
ce, with oracions of his prayse.

And on the South side of Poules
churche garde, an Argosie came frome

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the

ilment of the same Church, by
a cable, being made fast to an an-
ker, at the Deanes doore, lying upon
his brest, applying hym self neither with
hande nor foote, and after ascended to
the middes of the same cable, and tum-
bled and played many pretie toyes,
wherat the kynge, wyth other of the
peeres and nobles of the realme, lau-
ghed right hartely.

The xx. daye of February, his most
noble grace, at Westminster was pro-
claymed, anoynted, and crowned king
Thomas Loide Archebishop of Can-
terbury, and Metropolitane of this
realme, ministeryng the dewyne Sacra-
ments and Ceremonies, to do royally
all thynges belongyng, and so continued
in banquetting triumphantly, with the
noble masks and mūmeries that euer
werz seen, with diuers and sondre
chaunges of apparell.

The. xxi. and. xxi. daye, by Tho-
mas Seymour, Loide Admirall, ac-
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compaygnied wth Deuelox, s^r An-
thonie Myngton, s^r Peter Carewe,
Knowles, and Shelley, were chalenz-
gers agaynst all parsones defendante
at Tilt, Barriers, and turney. wheres
in they behaued themselves lyke valy-
aunt men of armes. And this was s^r
upheld on Sundaye nexte folowynge,
beyng the. vii. day. haupnge at euery
bankettes, at the whiche were dyuers
and sundrie playes.

In this moneth of Marche, s^r An-
drew Dudley, vice admirall, with the
Paunce and the harte, beyng but s^r
gle manned, had a great conflict wth
thre Scottische shippes, beeynge dou-
ble manned, and trimmed with ordy-
nance, in the narrow seas, and than-
kes be to God, he obtained the victory
and tooke many prisoners, & broughte
the shippes into Orwell hauen, wher
they did remayne.

This yere in August, the Duke of
Somerset, and the erle of Marwarke,
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with a noble armie, were sente into
Scotlande, and nere to Edembrough,
at a place called Musselborough, the
Englishe men and Scottes met, wher
betwene them was foughte a cruel bat
talle, the victorie by the onlie prouisiō
of God, fell to the Englishmen and of
the Scottes were slayne (as writeth
Patten in hys Booke called the expe
dicion into Scotlande) aboute. xiiii.
M, and taken prisoners of Lordes,
knightes and gentilmen, xv. C. Anno
domini. M. D. xlvii. anno primo Ed
wardi sexti. By John Greshā knight
maior, Thomas White, Robert Aurs
ties sherrifes.

This yere was ordeyned the cōmu
nion to be receyued in bothe kyndes.
This yere the last day of July, Ste
phen Gardener Bishop of Winchester
was commaunded to the Towre.

This yere was a greate mortalitee
in London, then was a commaunde
ment giuen to all Quates, that they
should

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should burie none before sixe of the
cloke in the morninge, nor after sixe at
nighte, and that the belle should ryng
thre quarters of an houre, or more.

Anno domini. M. D. xlviii. anno. ii.
Edwardi sexti. By: Henry Amcottes
knight, Fishmonger, maior. William
Locke, John Milke Sheriffes.

This yere in February, Sir Tho
mas Seymour, Lorde Admirall, was
put to death for diuers treasons, and
was condemned by a parlyament.

In this yere was Images putte
downe in all Churches throughtoute
Englande.

This yere the mariage of Priestes
was graunted lawfully by parliamēt

This yere Doctor Bonar was des
posed of his Bishoppe, the first daie
of October,

In this moneth the Duke of Bos
meret was commaunded to the Toure

This yere was a ryling in Devon
shire, and Cornewall, aboute the myd-

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des

A briefe

Des of the yere, whiche was Damage
to theyn, and other, wherefore they
chief capitaynes wer taken & brought
to the toure of London, and the. xxvi.
daie of Januarie, after, was drawn,
hanged, and quartered, and thre more
at Tyborne.

Also this yere about the same time,
was an insurreccion in Norfolk and
Duffolk, and their capitayn, capitayn
Kite, and his brother, were shortly ta-
ken, and iudged to be hanged at Nor-
wiche in cheynes. Duriinge whiche in-
surreccion, the gates of London was
warded, by certayne of the auncient cy-
tezens in harneys.

Anno Domini. M. D. xlix. anno. iii.
Edwardi sexti, Sir Rowlande Wylle
Knight, Mayor, John Yorke, John
Turke Sheriffes.

Also in this yere the. xix. day of Jan-
uary, Capitayn Gambole, a Capt-
tayne of the Spanyards, and another
Capteyn was slayne withoute Newes-
gate

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gate in the euenyng, by capitayne De-
gouarie, whiche was taken and han-
ged on the euen of saynt Doule, and
thrice more with him. in Smithfelde.

The sixe day of February came the
duke of Somerset out of the Cour.

In the same Month wente out of
Englande. certayn lordes of the couns-
ayll to Bulleyn, where certayn of the
frenche counsell met with them, and
after longe consultation had. and dy-
uerse meetings betwene them, there
was a generall peace concluded, whi-
che prace was proclaimed the. xix.
day of Marche folowynge. Also about
the. xxv. day of Aprill folowynge, the
towne of Bulleyn, wyth the fortresses
thereto belongynge. was deliuered by
the Englishemen, into the handes of
the Frenchemen.

This yere the. ii. day of May. was
byent in Smithfelde Ione Boucher.
otherwyse called Ione of Bent, for the
horrible heresie, that Christ tooke no

A bytete

Helme of the virgine Mary, and at her death did preache Iohn Doxie, a preacher of Cantorbury. Mewinge to the people her abhominable Opinions, warnyng all men to beware of them, and suche like.

Aboute this tyme, there was certain light persones, pretended a communion in Kent, but they were apprehended, and the. xiii. daye of Maye was for that trespassse hanged at Ashfoorde, Richard Lion, and Goddard Goran, and the next day folowinge was hanged at Cantorbury, Richard de Ireland for the same trespassse.

Anno domini. M. D. l. anno. iiii. Edwardi. vi. Wy: Andrew Aud Wykes her knight, maior. Augustine Wynde, John Lion Sherriffes.

This yere on Capnete Valentines daie at Feuerlam in Kent, was committed an horrible murther, for one Arden a gentleman, was by the consente of his wife murdered. Wherefore

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for he was hente at Cantorburie,
and there was one hanged in chaynes
for that murther, and at Feversham
was two hanged in chaynes, and a
woman hente, and in Smithfield was
hanged one Holby, and his sister for
the same murther also.

This yere Doctour Gardener Bys-
shop of Winchester, the. xvi. daye of
February, was deposed of his bishop-
rike, and so put into the Towre, wher
he lay, duringe the lyfe of kynge Ed-
warde, at whiche time Doctour Do-
net did vsurpe his bishoprike.

This yere was a Ducheman hent
in Smithfield, for holdinge of the o-
pinion of the Arrians.

In the moneth of July, there was
a Proclamacion, for the diminishynge
of the coryne, so that the peere of. xii. d.
was but. ix. d. and the grote but. iii. d.

In the moneth of August folow-
ynge, was another proclamaciō for the
like, so that the peere of. ix. d. was but
f. v. vi. d.

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xl. d. the peere of. iii. d. was but. ii. d.
the peere of two pence, was but a peni
and y^e peere of a peny, but a half peny

Anno dñi. M. D. li. an. v. Edwardi
vi. Richard Dobbes Skinner maior,
John Labert. John Couper theriffes.

In this yere was the swate in Lon
don, wherof there died in the fyrst weke
eyght hundred persones, and then it
ceased thanks be to God.

This yere the seconde daye of No-
uember, the olde Queene of Scottes
came to London, where she was honou
rably receyued, and lodged in the Wy
thoppes place.

In this yere the sea brake in at Sand-
witche in so muche that it did ouer-
flowe all the marches there about, and
drowned muche cattall, to the greate
losse, bothe of the towne & the countrey

In this yere the. xxii. day of Janu-
arie, the Duke of Somerset was be
headed at Tower Hill, for conspy-
rynge agaynst certayn of the Kynge's
counseil

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pryncer counsayll, and on the. xxv. daye
of February folowinge, was hanged
by Raufe A uane, and by Miles Wat-
tryche, and there were beheaded by
Thomas Arundell, and by Wyghell
Stanhope, for the lyke offence.

Anno domini. M. D. Lii, anno sextye
Edwardi sexti, George Barnes Mer-
cer, Mayor. William Garret, John
Maynerde Sheriffs.

In the tyme of this Mayor, and in
the yere of our Lorde aboue wyrtten,
in y. vii. yere of his reygne. the. vi. date
of July, departed out of thys worlde
the noble p rince Edwarde the syxt of
that name. and died at Grenewyche in
the. xvi. yere of his age, and is buried
at Westmyster, whose soule G D
take to his infite mercie. Amen.

The tenth day of July. the Duke of
Northumberland wyth his adheren-
tes, contrary to theyr allegiaunce, dyd
proclayne lady Jane (daughter to the
Duke of Suffolke, and wife to Gyl-
fords

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forde Dudley) quene, the whiche duke
incontinentlie made an armie agaynst
the Lady Mary, ryght inherytoure to
the Crowne of this realme. But hys
attempt (forasmuche as it was not of
God could not come to any good suc-
cesse.) For when he thought him selfe
moste strongest, parte of the nobilitie,
and almoste all the common people,
fell from him, so that at Cambryge, he
with his sonnes, and a few moze were
left alone, and were arested, and sent
to the Toure of London. 1554

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Queene Mary.

Our most gracious Soueraygne
lady and Queene Mary, began
her reygne ouer the Realme of
Englande, and was Proclaymed
Queene the .xx. day of July, in the yere
of our lord. M. D. liii. her grace the be-
gan at Frampyngham, in the countie of
Suffolke.

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Suffolke. The third day of August her grace came to London, and tooke possession of the Toure. And in the tyme of her there abidinge, she released out of prison, the duke of **Suffolke**, Doctor **Gardiner**, Bishop of **Winchester**, and the **Lorde Courteney**. Shortly after, certayne Bishoppes, which were before depriued of their Bishopricks, wer restored: that is to say, Doctor **Gardiner**, to the bishoprike of **Winchester**, and **John Ponet** put out. Doctor **Conar**, to the Bishoprike of **London**, and **Nicholas Ridley** put out. Doctor **Day**, to the bishoprike of **Gloucester**, and **John Scory** put out. Doctor **Cunfall**, to the Bishoprike of **Buresme**, and Doctor **Heath**, to the bishoprike of **Worcester**, & **John Hosper** expelled, & committed to the Fleet. Doctor **Wille to Excester**, and one **Willes Couerdale** put out.

The twelveth daie of August was beheaded at toure hill, **John Audley**
Duke

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Duke of Northumberlande, Syr John Gates, and Syr Thomas Palmer. for treason, whiche Duke at the tyme of his death, did recant his former lyfe, & exhorted the people not to be ashamed to retorne to the catholike fayth.

On the first day of October, her grace was crowned at Westminster, by Doctour Gardiner Bi'shoppe of Winchester (Thomas Cranmer by'shoppe of Cantorburie, then beyng in the toure for treason.) Whiche coronacion was done so royally, and suche a multitude of people resorted out of all partes of the realme, to se the same that the like hath not ben seen tofore.

The tenth day of October, began the Parlyamente, and certayne actes made in kynge Edward the. vi. days whiche was not thought necessarye, were repealed, amonge which, the act for marriage of priestes was repealed and the acte for establishing of the Englishe service was also repealed, and the

the former Latine Service set forth
with diuers other repealed.

Also at this parliament was con-
uicted and attaynted of hygh treason,
John Duke of Northumberlande,
Thomas Cramer archebyschoppe of
Lantorbury, William Marques of
Northampton, Thon Earle of war-
wyke, sy: Ambrose Dudley knyghte,
Gilforde Dudley Esquier and Jane
his wife, Henry Dudley Esquier, sy:
Andrieue Dudley knyghte, sy: John
Gates, and sy: Thomas Palmer.

Inno dñi, M, D, L. ii. anno primo
Marie, Thomas White marchaunte
saylour Maye, Thomas Offeley,
William Hewet sherriffes.

This yere on Saynt Katherynes
daye after Euen-song began the quere
of poule, to go aboute the Steple sin-
ging with lightes, after tholde custom.

On saynt Andiewes daye beganne
the processyon in Latine, the bishop, cu-
rates, persones, & the whole quiere of
poules

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Boules, which the **Maioz**, and diuers **Aldermen**, and the **prebendes** in the **grey Ammes**, and thus continued, **iii. dayes** folowinge.

The. xlii. daye of **January** began the **Proceſſion** on the **Sundayes** aboute the **Churche**, with the **Maioz** and the **Aldermen** in their **clokes**, and the **Preacher** takinge his **benediction** in the **myddes** of the **Churche**, accordinge vnto the **olde custome**.

This yere the **sixt daie** of **January** came from the **Emperour** in the name of the house of **Burgonie**, noble **ambassadours**, as the countie **Degmôt**, countie **Deline**, and **mounſier Lurſier**, with other.

This yere the **xv. daie** of **January** one **ſpy Thomas Wiat**, **George Harper**, **Henry Alley**, and **Leonard Digges**, with other, began a rebellion at **Maidſtone** in **Kent**, and made a **proclamacion**, pretendinge to defende the **realme** from **Spanyardeſ**, and other **ſtraunge**

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straungers: & after came to Rochester, wher came vnto the diuers aswel boyn out of Kente, as in Kente, as Roberte Rudstone, Lutbert Maghon, Water & Water Mantles, Kneuer, Godfrey, with dyuers other. At whiche commotion and fflyte although there came to them from diuers places of Kent, yet Canterbury contynued true and faithfull, in so muche as through the goodnes of God, and the circumspecte provision and diligēt attendance of John Twyne mayre, & his brethren, the aldermen with the saythfull assistance of other, the citie was defended from the Rebelles, and not so muche as one knowen of the sayde citie to haue fled to Wyat, or to anie of hys adherentes.

The.xx. day of January was condemned at Guilde hall, lord Roberte Dudley for hys treason.

The.xxvi. day of the same monthe began the wardynge at al the gates & aboute

about the Citie of London by the auncient citisyns and their seruantes, for the greate rebellion of Wyat and his compaignions.

The xxx. day of this same monethe the duke of Norfolk came to Stronde, and bent his artillery agaynste Wyat in Rochester, but Sirian Fitzwilliam, and Wyet, who came with the Duke agaynst Wyat, with certayne other of their confederacy, made a chaute, and Redde from the Duke to Wyat, and the Duke hardly escaped.

And the next daye Wyat wente to Colynze and toke the lord Cobham. The first daye of Februarie at afternone the Queenes grace accompanied with the lordes of her counsaile, with a goodlye traine of ladies, came into Londō, with her septer in her hāde in token of loue & peace, to Gualde hal, and there shewes her mynde vnto the Wyat and to the hole cytie, and went to the court agayne by water, and toke her

her barge at the Crane of the Mintre
 And that same daye come Wyat in
 to Southwarke, and of it was nyght,
 he had made a trenche at the bydge
 foote of London, for the drawe bydge
 was drawen against hym.

And the lorde Wyllyam Hawarde
 was ioygned in Commission for that
 tyme with the Mayre for the surer des-
 fence of the citie of London.

The fyrte daye of Februarpe was
 Shrofte tuisdaye, and the was hanged
 two men vppon a gybbet in Poules
 Church yerde.

And the same daye at .ix. of the cloke
 in the mornynge, went Wyat to kyngs-
 ston on Thames, and passed ouer the
 water, where dyuers of his menne fled
 from hym the nyght before, when he
 went out of Southwarke

And that same tyme the Duke of Suf-
 folke with his brother was taken by
 the Earle of Huntington, and that
 same day the lorde Cobham, & Harper

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were committed to the Towre.

The seventh day of February was a Wednesday, and then Miat wyth his hoste came vnto the Parke pale, besyde saynt James, and there woulde haue pyched his fieldes. And Knevette with other, had most trayterously shot at the Courte gate.

And then Miat perceyued that all thynges was not as he wolde haue it, he passed downe by saynt James, and there his trayne was cutte of, by the commaundement of the Erl of Benbroke, and certayne of hys men slayn, and then himselfe with diuerse other, came in the Temple Barre, and so through Fleetstrete, to the Well Wagage, & when he perceyued that a dogate was shot agaynst hym, he departed, sayinge: I haue kepte touche, and so went backe agayne, and by the temble Barre he was taken, and brought by water vnto the Courte of London. And all the Quenes hoste came thow
to

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rewe London goodly in arraye, and that day was longe Te deum, in the Queenes Chapel, for ioy of the taking of the duke of Suffolke and hys brother.

The eight day of Februarie, the Duke of Suffolke and hys brother, was brought through London, wyth a goodly compaignie of Spere men and so vnto the Towre of London.

The fouretene of the same moneth were hanged for the same Rebellion, Wicars, a yoman of the garde, South, one of the Queenes foote men, greate Thon Roxtton, and one Kinge and in severall places aboute London, the number of foorthe. And that same day one Harebyll, was thre hanged in chaynes for the same offence.

This rebellion in Kent, was ioyned and confedered wyth the comocion, moved and attempted in Devonshire, by Sawen and Peter Lascolw, Gibbes, Champerbarn, and other

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ther, which Peter Redde into France
the cause why will shortly appere. but
Calmen and Gibbes with other, were
there taken and was also confedered
with Henry Graye Duke of Suffolke
who was apprehended by the worthy
Earle of Huntingdon. & was condemn-
ned of hys treason at W. Assize the
xvii. day of February and suffered pay-
nes of deathe for the same, at Towre-
hyl, the. xiii. daye of February.

Henry Esley coming to Wyat was
encountred by the leide of Aburgar-
nye, mayster wacham, and William
Centlegers, with the helpe of Ma-
ster Clarke of Wotham, and there
discosited & fled into Hamshire, where
he was taken in the apparell of a ma-
rtyner, his face dysfigured with tooth
and dyte, and so brought captue in
to london.

And after that Roberte Rudstone
William cromer, B. et. Cuthbert Ma-
ghan, George Wane, Thomas culpe-
per

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per of Hlesforde, Kneuet, and Knes
uet, Water and Water Mantels
Lorde John Grape, and Leonarde
Dyggas was condemned in Westmin
ster hall of hys treason for the same
rebellioun.

The .xv. daye of Marche was com
mitted to the Towre agayne the Earle
of Dyvonshyre. And the .xviii. daye of
the same moneth, whiche was Walme
son euen, was committed to the To
wer, the lady Elizabeth the Queenes
syster.

And after that the lord Thomas
Grape and syr James craftes confedes
rated with the sayd Duke of Suffolke
in the same rebellion.

And shortly after that, the Queene
of her abundant and accustomed mer
cy pardoned, iiii, L. and mo of the com
mon

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most people whiche came to westmynster with halters aboute theyr neckes and wer pardoned, who had ben mycelled by the euill dysposed aboue named

And then immediatly summoned a parliament to be holden at Oxforde, and immediatly after it was retorned to westminster, and there holden.

The .x. day of Apryll was the oppositions at Oxforde by Thomas Cranmer sometime byshop of Cantorbury Nicolas Wydley, sometime byshop of London, and Hugh Latimer, agayne byuers doctours of both the vniuersities and other learned men, and so they were condemned by bothe the vniuersities, & remayn there in prison.

The .xi. day of Apryll for Thomas wat was beheaded at the Towre hill for his treason, & after quartered, and his quarters sette vp in byuers places and his head sette vpon the gallows on hay hill, where he was executed, and shortly after it was stollen away.

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The. i. day of Maie. was monday in Whitsun weeke, & then came the Procession of S. Peters in Cornhill with diuers other parishes and the Maior & Aldermen fyremongers, & Goldsmithes vnto Poules after the olde custome, and other Processions all the thre dayes as they were wont to do.

The. xviii. day of May was Wyllyam Thomas drawn, hanged, and quartered at Tyburn for hys treason

The. xxiii. daye of May was Corpus Chyristidaye, and then was a iopner that dwelt in Colmanstrete, called Iohn strete, wolde haue taken the Sacryment out of the priestes hands in Smythfelde, in the tyme of the procession, but he was resysted and taken, and put in Newgate, and then he fayneued hym selfe madde.

The. iiii. Daye of June was taken downe all the gallows that were aboute London.

The. xxi. day of June was a proclamation

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elamation made concerninge shotynge
in hande gunnes, & bering of weapons

The .xx. Daye of Iulye the kynge
arrived at Southhampton, where he
was with all due honoure and obeys-
saunce receyved of the Queenes mai-
esties counsaile, and mooste partye of the
nobyltye of this realme.

At his first setting fote on lande y^e
Gartier of the order was sette and
made fast, about his legge, whiche was
lente unto hym by the queenes hyghnes
rychelp adorned wth precious Jewelles,
Immedyately upon his receiuyng and
mutuall salutyng on bothe partyes,
the kynge as he woulde entre in to any
house, went first on fote to the churche
of holy Roodes in Hampton, stand-
yng directly agaynst the towne house
a good dystance from the kafe, to ren-
der thanks to almyghtye God for his
prosperous voyage.

When he had prayed about halfe an
houre or more, he roode to his lodgyng
whiche

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which was backe agayn towardes the water gate, vpo a goodly Fleet, which the quenes maiestie hadde sent for that purpose exceeding richely trapped.

The mondaye followinge, the kynge roode from Southhampton to Wyndchester, accompanied with a notable compaigne of lordes and gentlemen of Englande, eueryc of them hauinge a notable compaigne and excellentlye wel apparayled and also horsed. But the daye was a raynye daye, soo that the iourneye was somewhat the lesse pleasant.

The foure and twenty day of July, the kynges mooste royall Maiestie was honourably receyued into the towne of Wyndchester, betwene fyve and seuen a clocke at nyght, his Maiestie beyng accompanied with noble men, as well of Englande as of his owne countrey. And his grace went in to the Cathedral church before he toke his lodging and at the West ende of the church, at his

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at his lyghtynge from hys horse, the
Queenes mynstrels played untill he
came to the church doore, and there
the Bishoppe of Winchester and foure
bishops more, with the priestes syn-
gynge men, & children receyued hym in
proceßion in copes, with iii. crosses.

In the first entrie of the church, he
kneeled downe and made his prayers,
and then arose and wente vnder a ca-
napie from the west doore vp into the
quere, and as soone as his grace per-
ceyued the Sacramente he put off hys
cappe, and dyd reverence, & so entred
into a goodly traueis rychehly hanged,
and there kneeled, and then my lord
Chaunceloz began Te Deum, and all
ther quere sang the rest. After all this
synished, his grace was brought oute
with torche light, and went a foote to
his lodgynge throughe the Cloyster,
where the Queenes garde dyd stande
all the way to hys lodging, which was
in a fayre house of the Deanes. He
was

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was in a riche coate embrouded with
lie with gold, and a hat muche lyke the
same with a fether in it: He tournd
hymselfe towards the people, all the
waye on bothe sydes, and the people
muche reioysed to see his noble perso-
nage, and cryed: God save your
grace. The same night after he had
supped which was aboute ten of the
clocke, certayne of the counsaile
brought hym to the queene by a secret
waie, where she receyued hym ryghte
lyvely and there they both talkynge
together in the Spanishe tongue a-
bout half an houre, and then he toke
his leave of her, and so departed to
his lodgyngs.

Upon tuesday being the. xxiij. day
of July in the after noone aboute. iij.
of the clocke, he came from hys lod-
gyngs on foote and with him the lord
Steward, the earle of Warby, the erle
of Penbroke, and dyvers other lords
and gentylmen, aswell Englyshe

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as others goynge before hym he goyng
alone, apparayled in a Cloake of fyne
blacke clothe, embroudered about with
whyte sylvur, a payre of whyte hooft,
and the garter of the order of England
about his legge, and soo wente to the
court where every body myght se hym,
and after he had entred the courte and
came nyghe to the hall doore, the in-
strumentes played at hys graces en-
tryng into the hall, where the Quenes
maiestie receyved hym, and kyssed hym
in the presence of all the people, and the
beyng on the ryghte hande, they wente
together into the great chambze of pre-
sence, and there in the presence of al the
Lordes and Ladies, they stode a quar-
ter of an houre vnder the cloth of estate
talkynge together, and then he tooke
his leaue of her grace, and came forth
into the open courte, where all the Pen-
cioners stode, and the garde all along
on bothe sydes the waye to the courte
gate, & from thence the Lorde brought
hym

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hym to the cathedrall church to Gaſſe-
song, and after euensong they brought
hym to his lodgyng with torchelight,
very honourablye, accordyng: to hys
Majesties estate.

The same nyght the Emperour sent
a message to the Queenes Majestie,
declaryng that his sonne which should
marry her, was not a Prince onely but
a kynge, and that he was kynge of Na-
ples and Jerusalem before the mar-
riage, and soe byd sende his wrytynges of
the same vnder his great seale, so that
he is kynge of Naples and Jerusalem
in his owne ryghte. and the Queene,
Queene of the same, besydes the kyn-
domes of Englande and Ireland, with
other Dukedomes and Erledomes as
appereth by their Majesties stile.

And you shall vnderstande that vpon
saynt James day being the fyue & twē-
ty day of July, about a leue of the clock
the Kynge and Queenes Majesties,
came from their lodgynges towarde
the church

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the church all on foote ryche appa-
relled in gownes of clothe of golde vpon
pon golde set wyth stones he with his
gentylmen and garde, and she wyth
hers, eche of them haupnge a sworde,
borne before them: Before her maiesty
stode the erle of Darby bare the sword,
and before his grace, the erle of Pen-
broke bare the sworde: And beyng
come into the church, he wente to one
altare and she to another, hanged clo-
the with curtaynes of clothe of golde
where we thynke they were married.
After that they came from theyr places
and met together, eche of them saluted
other very humbly, his royall maiesty
beyng bare headed. And then the syre
Bisshoppes wente to the places ap-
pointed for the marriage, and the
kyng came and stode on the left syde
and her grace on the right syde, and
my lorde Chauncellour beyng there a-
foze, blessed all thynges, bothe in banns
byddyng and otherwise, as hath been
as

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at marriages of olde tyme, and spake it
bothe in Latine and Englyshe. Her
marige rynge was a rounde houe of
gold, without any stone: for her desire
was to be married, as maydens were
married in the olde tyme, and so she
was. Many noble menne of straunge
countreys were there rychele appa-
rayled, for golde and Stone, and all
other gentylmen, were rychele appa-
rayled. After thys maryage knot thus
knyt, the kinge and Queene came hand
in hande, a Canapie borne ouer theym
by. vi. knyghtes, and two swoordes bes-
foze them all the lordes goyng before.
And when they came before the altar,
they kneeled downe a whyle there, and
eche of theym had a Taper, and then
they arose, and she went into a traueis
made on the right side, and he into an-
other on the left syde. After the Gos-
pell they came forth, & kneeled before
the altar, at the masse tyme, & the care
cloth was holden, and he kyssed the bye-

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Thop at the Agnus. As soone as Masse was done, the kynge of Feroides openly in the churche, and in presence of the kynge and Quene, the lordes and ladies, and all the people. Solemplye proclaimed they: Maiesties kynge and Quene, with their title and stile, in manner and forme as foloweth.

Philippe and Mary by the grace of God kynge and Quene of Englande, Fraunce, Naples, Jerusalem, and Irelande, defenders of the fayth, Prynces of Spayne and Sicilie, Archedukes of Austriche, Dukes of Mayne, Burgundy and Sabant, Counties of Hapurge, Flaunders and Tyrol, Whiche ended, the trompettes blew, and the kynge and Quene came forth hande in hande with their lordes ladies and gentlemen awaytynge on them and two swordes borne before them, & so went on foote to the court, and there dyed openly in the hall both together at one table, whiche thyng was ioyfull to all
that

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that dyd see that solemnificacion, and by
Gods grace hereafter shalbe to al their
true subiectes both ioyful and profitab
le. This God graunt, Amen.

Also the .xxviii. daye of Auguste the
kyng and the queene came to Busselke
place in Southwarke, and there dynd
and after dyner with mooste parte of
the Nobilitie of the realme, rode ryght
royallye ouer London Brydge, and so
throughe the Tyne, whiche was rycher
lye hanged with ryche clothes of Ar
res, and Tappstrye. And at every tunc
duyte as they came were gailyous pa
gantes, of dyuers steyes, in playe
and commendacions of oure mooste no
ble and excellent gracious Kyng and
Queene. Also their Maisties were re
ceyued into the Cathedrall Church of
Sant Paul righte reuerently by the
Byschoppe of London, with procession
and after they had made their deuoute
prayers rode forth vnto Westmynstre

A brief

In the tyme of this Maior, and in the yere of oure Lorde a thousand five hundred fyftie and foure was the Latine Seruyce restored, by the aucthoritie of a Parlyamente holden at Westminster.

And in thys yere came dyuers Ambassadors to the Kyng and Queene fro all partes and countries of Chyrendoms, as from polan, Hungarye Naples, Ferrer and other countreys and cities.

Anno Domini, a thousande five hundred fyftie and foure, anno primo et secundo Phillippi, Regis, et Marie, Regine, John Lion Grocer Maior. May Moberge, Wyllyam Chester Sheriffes.

In this yere a Parlyamente was holden at Westminster, where among other thynges there proued, the Englysh Seruise, and the Communion booke was derogated and disanulled, and a generall submyssyon of
the

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the realme of England, made to the sea
of Rome, This lorde Cardinall Pole
beyng restored, all lawes to the cōtra-
ry dyssolued,

This yere in lente went to Rome,
the ryght honorable the Lorde Bys-
shoppe of Ely, and the Lorde Moun-
taigne, Ambassadeur from the kynge &
the Quene.

In the tyme of this Maye, and in
the yere of oure Lorde God a thous-
sande fyue hundred fyttie and fyue. In
dyuers partes of this realme were ap-
prehended dyuers Sacramentaries,
and manye of them not conuerted, suf-
fered death by fyre (in manye places
of this Realme) as at London one
John Rogers, John Hoper at Wor-
cestre, where he was Bysshoppe, one
Fatter, at saynt Dauides in Wales,
where he was Bysshoppe, Doctoure
Capler, at Hadley in Suffolke, and
John Bradforde also at London, and
Wland a priest at Caunterbury, with
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dynets other.

This yere in June, the lord Chancellor of Englande, the Earle of Arundell lord Steward, the lord Pagette, went ouer the sea to Calys, and were vnto Marke, treated with 3 Emperours and frenche kynges commissioners, for a peace to bee had betwene the sayde pynces, the lord Cardynall beyng president there, & returned with out effecte.

In this yere in the latter ende of June, was a certayne mutenynge, traiterously attempted aboute Wadharte in Southser. But it was speedely perceived and wyttely repelled.

In this yere the .xi. daye of August was a terrible fyghte on the Sea, betwene the Dutchmen, and frenchemen, nere vnto Runney nasse, where as .vi. shippes were bent & sonke, that is, .vi. frenche shippes & .v. great hulkes, and certayne hulkes taken by the frenche men

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menne.

In this yere in the begynning of September the kynge wente ouer sea to Calais and so forth to Brusselles in Brabant to visite the Emperour his father.

[Anno do. M. D. lv. anno secundo et tertio Philippi Regis et Marie Regine.] Wylliam Garret knyght harboursmaster Mayre, Thomas Lee, mercer, John Bacham Clothworker Meryss.

A proclamacion of truce in Fraunce & Flaunders, betwene Charles the Emperour and Henry the frenche kynge.

In this yere in November Nicolas Wydley and Pewe Latimer, were burnt at Oxforde for heresy. And in the lent folowynge Thomas Cranmer late Archebysshop of Caüterbury after that he had recanted was also there burnt.

This yere in the tenth of Marche appeared a notable comet or blasynge starre, & manye chyliden monsterousse boyns

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boyns

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Booke in diuers places of Englande.

This yere my lorde Cardinall Poles
grace Lorde Legate was consecrated
Archbishop of Canterbury for whom
maister Roberte Colins commissary and
prebendary of Chyche Church was
enstailled on the day of the Annuncia-
cion of oure blessed Ladye with all so-
lome rytes and ceremonies there to be-
longyng.

This yere was detected a haynous
conspyracie bothe agaynst the kynge
and Quenes maiesties Ryal persons
and also of inuasion the Realme: and
for the same suffered W. dall, Froge
morton Daniel, Dechem, Stanton, &
other: and diuers for the same fled out
of the Realme.

¶ Anno domini. M. cccc. lvi. anno
tertio et quarto Philippi Regis et
Marie Regine.

¶ By Thomas Dolep mayre.
Wylliam Harper: John whyte Ap-
rytes.

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This yere in Februarye the lord
Sturton, was arrayned at Westmyn-
ster hall, for murderynge of two gentyl-
men, and the seconde daye of Marche,
he was conueyed through London, and
so to Walsburge, and the xvj. daye of
Marche suffered the paynes of death.

In the tyme of this Maye, and in
the yere. M. D. lvii, the. xxvii, daye of
February, came to the kyng and quene
an ambassadour from the Emperour
of Russe.

This yere in Marche the kynges
grace, returned into England, and the
xxii. daye of the same moneth, the kyng
and the Quenes Maiesties, came from
Greenwyche by water, and landed at
the Towe warke, & so came throughe
London to Westminster, with a goodly
company.

This yere in Maye, came Henry
Stafforde from Fraunce and tooke
Scarborow castell whiche he enjoyed
two dayes, and then was taken with
his com-

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his complices and brought to London, where he suffered at the Courte hyl for his treason.

In this yeare vpon the Monday in Whytson weeke, beyng the .vii. daye of June, was a proclamation of warre betwene the queenes maiestie and the frenche kyng, wherevnto the queene sent ouer an army of men, ordeynynge the Erle of Penbroke lord general, whiche mette the kyng with his Army at a towne in Fraunce called Caynt Quintains.

The .x. day of August were taken of Fraunce the chiefest capytaynes that the frenche kyng had as foloweth. The Constable of Fraunce and his yongest sonne, The Duke of Bourpance. The Duke of Angulla, the Marshall of F. Andewe the Mygrane Coronall of Almayne, Rocha de Wapn, Rocha forsa, Viscount the Churen, de Baron of Courton, the prince of Mantua, beside many gentlemē & capytaynes were take.

The .28. day of August, was taken the towne of S. Quintayns.

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There foloweth the lengthe
breadth and copas of Englande, with
the nombre of paryshe churches
townes and bysshop-
rykes.

Englande conteyneth in lengthe
from the vttermoste parte of the
North called Warwyke, to the
vttermoste part of the South,
called Dorsetmouth, nyghe the dy-
stance of.iii. l. xx. myles. And from
Douer which is in the East to the vt-
termost part of the west in Cornewale
about the dystance of.iii. c. myle.

The lengthe of Englande from cath-
ney in the Marches of Scotlande too
Totnes in Devonshyre, is thye hun-
dred myles.

The breadth from Caput Wandis in
Wales to Douer is.iii. l. myles.

And the compasse of England rounde
aboute, is. iii. M. iii. hundred and. lii.
score

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score myles.


There is in Englande of paryshe churches the nūbze of. xviij. thousande vii. hundred and. xx.

Also there is in Englande of Wyshopykes to the nombze of. xxd.

Also there be in Englande of Shyres to counties of the nūbze of. xxxviij.

Also there is in Englande of Townes beynde cyties and castels, to the nūbze of. iij. thousande. lxx.

Now the myles lye with the mooste notable townes, and what distāce they be a sūder.

 The way from Walsyng-
ham to London.

From Walsyngham to Wycknam
twelue myle.

frō Wycknā to Bradoufery. x. myle
frō Bradoufery to Newmarket. x. myle
frō Newmarket to Babam. xii. mi.
frō Babam to Barkway. xx. myle.
frō Barkway to Bukriche. 8. myle

from

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from Bukryche to Ware. viii. myle
from Ware to Waltham. v. myle
from Waltham to London. xii. myle.

From Barwyke to London.

From Barwyke to Anwyke. xii. mi.
from Anwyke to Worspit. xii. myle.
from Worspit to Newcastle. xii. mi.
from Newcastle to Durham. xii. mile
from Durhā to Daringtō. xiii. myle.
from Daringtō to Northalertō. xiii. mi.
from Northalerton to Copelife. viii. mi.
from Copelife to porke. xvi. myle
from porke to Eadcaster. viii. myle
from Eadcaster to Wenebryge. v. myle
from Wenebryge to Dancaſter. viii. myle
from Dancaſter to Tarforde. xvii. myle
from Tarforde to Newarke. x. myle
from Newarke to Grantam. x. myle
from grantham to Staſforde. xv. mile
from Staſforde to Stilton. xii. myle
from Stilton to Huntington. ix. myle
from Huntington to Roſton. xvi. mi.
from Roſton to Ware. xii. myle
from

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from Ware to Waltham. vii. myle.
from Waltham to London. xii. myle.

Here foloweth the way from carnar-
uan to chelster, and so to London.

Fro carnauā to conway, xliii. mi.
from conway to denbigh. xii. my.
from Denbygh to Flynt. xii. myle.
from Flynt to Chelster. x. myle.
from Chelster to Wytche. xiiii. myle
from Wytche to Stone. x. myle.
from Stone to Litchefelde. xvi. myle.
from Litchefelde to Colcyl. xii. myle
from Colcyl to Couentrie. viii. my.
And from Couentrie to London as he
eafter folowith.

Here foloweth the waye from
Lokerimouth to
London.

Fro Lokerimouth to kistwikk, vi. mi.
from kistwikk to Groceker. viii. mi.
from groceker to Kendal. xliii. myle
from Bentell to Burton. vii. myle
from

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from Winton to Lancaster. viii. my.
from Lancaster to Bpiston. xx. myle
from Bpiston to Wygarn. xiii. myl.
from Wygarn to Warrington. xii. myle.
from Warrington to Newcastle. xx. mi.
from Newcastle to Lichfeld. xx. myl.
from Lichfeld to Couentre. xx. myle.
from Couentre to Danetre. xiiii. myle
from Danetre to Worcester. i. myle.
from Worcester to Conistatford. vi. mi.
from Conistatford to Wyckhil. vii. mi.
from Wyckhil to Dunstable. xii. mi.
from Dunstable to S. Albons. x. myle
from S. Albons to Barnet. x. myle.
from Barnet to London. x. myle

¶ From Yarmouth to Colchester.

From Yarmouth to Byccles. x. mi.
from Byccles to Tibour. vi. myle
from Tibour to Snaphyge. viii. myle.
from Snaphyge to Wodbydge. 7. my.
from Wodbydge to Ipswitche. v. mi.
from Ipswitche to Colchester. xii. myle
from Colchester to Ekerford. vii. myle
from

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from Esterforde to chilmesford. x. myl.
from chilmesford to bentwood. x. myle

From Douer to London

From Douer to cantorbury. xii. mi.
from Cantorbury to Dyttynges-
bourne, xii. myle
from sittingborne to rocheſter. viii. mi.
from rocheſter to graueſende, v. myle
from Graueſende to datford, vi. myle
from datford to London, xii. myle

From ſaynt Burien in Cornewal to London,

From ſ. burien to the moūt. xli. mi.
from the moūt to ſ. Trury, xii. mil.
from ſ. Trury to bodman, xx. myle
from bodman to launſton, xx. myle
from launſton to Okington. xv. myle
from Okington to crokhornwel. x. mi.
from crokhornwel to Exceſter. x. myle
from Exceſter to honpton, xii. myle
from honpton to tharde. x. myle
from tharde to crokhorne, vi. myle
from

from Calcsbury to Andenox. xv. mple.
from Andenox to Basingstoke. 18. mi.
from Basingstoke to herford bridge
viii. mple.
fro herford bridge to bagshot, 17. mi.
from bagshot to Haynes. viii. mple
from Haynes to London. xv. mple.

¶ From birstowe to London.

From birstowe to marfelde. x. mple.
from marfelde to chippnam. x. mple
from chipnam to malborough. xv. mi.
from malborough to hungerford. vii. mi.
from hungerford to Newbery. ix. mple.
from Newbery to Reading. xv. mple.
from Reading to Wyndesham. x. mple.
from Wyndesham to Colbyke. vii. mi.
from Colbyke to London. xv. mple.

¶ From Saint Dauides to London.

Arom S. Dauides to Arford. xx. mi.
from Arfozne to Carmarthen. xx. mi.
I. i. from

from Lambury to Becknoche. cxi. m.
from Becknoche to Hape. x. myle.
from Hape to Harfoide, xiii. myle,
from Harfoide to Woo. ix. myle.
from Woo to Glocceler. xv. myle.
from Glocceler to Cicester. xv. myle,
from Cicester to Farpyngton, xvi. myle.
from Farpyngton to Abyngton. vii. myle
from Abyngton to Dochecher. vii. myle.
from Dochecher to Henly. xii. myle
from Henly to Maydenhead. vii. myle.
from Maydenhead to Colbyoke. vii. m.
from Colbyoke to London. xv. myle

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